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Seek Authority For Overall Plan To Develop City

Town Planning Commission Hears Brief Outlining Changes Proposed for Future

Authority to draft a comprehensive long-range plan for the orderly development of Victoria will be sought from the City Council by the town planning commission, it was decided when the commission met last night under chairmanship of Forrest L. Shaw. Advice of Dominion and provincial town planning specialists will be requested in preparing the scheme.

"Such a plan might take 20 or more years to carry out but in the meantime zoning and building regulations would be drawn and enforced to conform to that plan," Mr. Shaw stated. "The location of public buildings, a community centre, parks and schools would be such as to fit that general plan."

Mr. Shaw presented a brief which included 13 alterations and changes he said should be recommended as part of future planning for Victoria. They were:

Obtaining of legislation giving the city control over its beaches along Dallas Road. The city boundary follows the high water mark and the beaches are in unorganized territory under jurisdiction of the Provincial Government, Mr. Shaw explained, recommending that the city either apply for a special act or pass a by-law extending its boundaries a quarter of a mile to sea, ensuring that at the lowest tide the city would have full control of all beaches.

Dominion legislation enabling the creation from harbor and foreshore "of all undesirable shacks and houseboats used for dwelling purposes." There is no means now to get rid of such buildings unless they interfere with navigation, Mr. Shaw said.

Widening of Yates Street on the north side from Broad to Government, widening of The Dallas Belles' widening of Bastion Street to the same width as View Street from Government Street to Wharf Street, widening and straightening of Blanshard Street south from Pandora Avenue.

Revision of the zoning by-law to provide definitions of light industry.

Provision by deliverymen and merchants to carry out loading within buildings instead of on the street.

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Eisenhower En Route To Ottawa

To Receive Official Tribute for Work

OTTAWA, Jan. 8 (CP).—Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower who arrives here tomorrow to receive Canada's official tribute for his leadership of Allied Victory in Europe will meet many Canadian members of his winning team.

Canadian overseas chiefs such as Gen. McNaughton, commander of the 1st Canadian Army during the build-up period, Air Chief Marshal Breadner, overseas R.C.A.F. chief during the war and Vice-Admiral Leonard Administrator of the overseas naval mission during the assembly of the invasion fleet, and Lt.-Gen. Charles Foulkes, chief of the general staff and western front corps commander, are among the high ranking Canadian officers with whom the general will renew acquaintance.

He also will meet officers who contributed to the planning of his operations including Vice-Admiral George Jones, Chief of the Naval Staff, and Air Marshal Robert Leckie, Chief of the R.C.A.F. and Gen. Eisenhower will meet many Canadian officers and men wearing the famous battle shield of Supreme Headquarters Allied Expeditionary Force.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8 (CP).—Gen. Eisenhower left Washington at 3 p.m. C.S.T. today for Montreal en route to Ottawa. L. B. Pearson, Canadian Ambassador to the United States also was aboard the General's train. The Montreal, due in Montreal about 7 a.m. C.S.T. tomorrow.

From Europe Day by Day—

THE TIMES, London

News and Comments on International Events selected from The Times daily and published in The Daily Colonist by special arrangement with The Vancouver Daily Province.

LONDON, Jan. 8.—Destiny of the United Nations Organization will depend on its capacity to retain the backing and support of those nations which are in effective control of power, and on the determination of those nations to work in harmony, says "The Times editorially today.

The prospect of U.N.O. as a bulwark of world peace rests on the conviction that the United States, Great Britain and the Soviet Union are determined to live in concord with one another, and to see that no aggressor are allowed to trouble the peace of the world.

The Security Council holds the key to success of the new organization, which will stand or fall as the League of Nations stood or fell, by its ability or inability to influence the bones of peace or war, says the editorial.

Its composition clearly resembles that of the old League Council but its functions have been more widely defined. Legal machinery for settlement of disputes is less complicated and the whole institute is given the council in dealing with breaches or threatened breaches of the peace.

Opening phases of the first general session will be devoted to broad statements of policy on the part of delegates, and not until the assembly settles down to work will some of the more significant work be undertaken, the editorial goes on.

The whole question of Germany's future economic, agricultural as well as industrial, has been opened up by contemplated action of occupying powers in facing a decision on the limitation of Germany's post-war status.

It is generally agreed, says The Times', diplomatic correspondent, that Germany will have to feed herself in the future much more than in the past. But—with a greater measure of agriculture, and even with a reduced standard of life, some imports of food will be needed.

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Swim Enthusiasts Enjoy Dip at 16 Above Zero

The Polar Bear Club Makes Its Annual Dip in Lake Michigan, With the Thermometer at 16 Above Zero. Five Members Taking Their Icy Bath at Milwaukee, Wis., Are, Left to Right, Fred Storm, John Walters, Mrs Joseph Sutter, Joseph Sutter and Gunther Guttowski.

British Emigration Here May Be Light

TORONTO, Jan. 8 (CP).—There will not be the great flow of immigrants from Canada from Great Britain after the last war as there was after the First Great War, Rt. Hon. Herbert Morrison, British Lord President of the Council, said today at a press conference.

Mr. Morrison, he said, came from the natural increase in population, but Britain's "blessed birthrate is not what it should be." Without the pressure of over-population and with poverty less prevalent after the Second Great War, fewer British people will seek to emigrate.

"I like emigration," he said "I think it is a grand thing in general, but it becomes disputable when the birthrate is down. However, we'll play ball, and will help ex-service men who may want to migrate to the Dominiths.

"It is servicemen mainly who want to emigrate at the present. They've knocked about a bit and have seen the Dominions and they like them.

Social legislation is being introduced contemporarily with economic legislation, he said. In order to balance Britain's income and expenditure. Industry must be adapted to new conditions and new demands.

There is nothing sinister to say with like loans, tariffs or imports, he said in answer to an off-pun question.

Though the conference steered along serious lines, Mr. Morrison declined to comment on British economics, foreign policy and the Paris peace group.

British Army May Train In Canada

LONDON, Jan. 8 (Wednesday)—(Reuters)—Possibility that British armies of the future will be trained in Canada was suggested today by Ma. W. F. Hargreaves, correspondent of The Labor Daily Herald, in a front-page article. It added, however, that no decision has yet been reached.

He wrote: "Establishment of a training area for future British armies in Canada is believed to be regarded favorably by the Dominion Government.

"It would benefit financially from the scheme which is now uppermost in the War Office's consideration of possible sites and Canada would be glad to have British troops using such an area.

"Britain is too small to allow of mechanized and airborne forces being exercised in the far-ranging manoeuvres which form so vital a part of modern warfare and in which the army attained such proficiency during the recent war.

"Other larger areas must therefore be found."

Four Marshals Raised in Rank

LONDON Jan 8 (Reuters)—Names of four air marshals raised to the rank of air chief marshal head a long list of new year promotions in the Royal Air Force published tonight.

They are Air Marshal Sir Arthur Harris, Air Marshal Sir Douglas Evill, Air Marshal Sir A. Guy Garrod, Air Marshal Sir John C. Slessor.

12 Lose Lives In U.S. Floods

HARLAN Ky., Jan. 8 (AP).—At least 12 persons lost their lives thousands were made homeless, and property damage mounted to the hundreds of thousands of dollars in floods that swept six Southeastern states today.

Thousands of Kentuckians along the Cumberland, Kentucky and Big River Valleys fled from flood waters. Four persons were drowned at Hazard.

Members of two families were drowned near Carthage Tenn., when their 1940 model car was swept off Jennings Creek swirled around their homes.

Canadian Delegates in Familiar Company for U.N.O. Meeting

LONDON, Jan 8 (CP). Canadian delegates to the United Nations Assembly at the initial sessions beginning Thursday will sit in the familiar company of the delegates from Byelo-Russia and Chile, their companions at the meetings of the Preparatory Commission, the seating plan shows.

Justice Minister St. Laurent, as chief delegate, is expected to occupy a seat three rows from the speaker's rostrum when the assembly is in session. His advisers will sit immediately behind him.

Seated in front of the Canadians are representatives of Australia and Saudi Arabia. Delegates will make their speeches from the rostrum after being introduced by the chairman.

About 400 press representatives were shown today through the central hall, Methodist Church headquarters and main assembly meeting place, across the road from Westminster Abbey. Many were interested they had to climb a long stairway to reach their quarters, looking down on the delegates, and said it was inconvenient to run up and down this stairway every time they wished to telephone.

Press representatives of the United Nations Organization said no elevator service was available but they would consider placing telephones on the same floor as the gallery where broadcasting booths already have been installed. Microphones stand on the speaker's rostrum and 12 broadcasts simultaneously may be carried from the main hall.

To the left of the press gallery there is another gallery for distinguished visitors and to the right is a limited number of seats for the public.

After committees have been set up some of them are expected to meet in Church House Church of England headquarters across the road from Central Hall.

Justice Sues For Monopoly On Marriages

VANCOUVER, Wash., Jan. 8 (AP).—One justice of the peace here has filed suit against another, accusing him of rushing in on the lucrative marriage trade in downtown Vancouver long a Gretna Green for Oregon couples.

Justice Paul Ettrell, whose office is in the Courthouse, charged Justice J. C. Lindsay with moving into his precinct—in fact, to an office just across the street—to seek $2,500 damages.

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Canada to Sweden Traffic Resumed

VANCOUVER, Jan. 8 (CP).—Passenger traffic between Canada and Sweden was resumed tonight, when the palatial new motor ship Bisten, of the Johnson Lines, dropped anchor here for the first leg of her voyage to Gothenburg.

She is under command of Captain Karl Aneesson, veteran Pacific Coast skipper well known in Vancouver as the man who rang here on famous Annie Johnson ship.

Bermuda to Have Its Motor Cars

HAMILTON, Bermuda, Jan. 8 (CP).—General use of automobiles in Bermuda was legalized by the Legislature today. The Council and House of Assembly agreed upon urging of the Governor, to a compromise putting the Motor Car Act of 1943, which expired December 31, back into operation until the end of January minus a clause prohibiting general use of motor cars in the colony. A new bill will be prepared before the end of the month.

Strike Vote May Be Taken Across Canada

VANCOUVER, Jan. 8 (CP).—Second strike vote in four months may be taken by packinghouse workers across the Dominion because of differences with management over interpretation of last Fall's Winnipeg agreement, William Symington, British Columbia international representative of the United Packing House Workers of America (C.I.O.) said tonight.

Reporting to Vancouver Labor council (C.C.L. Mr. Symington said the management's interpretation of the agreement, reached at a conference between representatives of the union and the three major companies in the industry, with Mr. Justice B. P. Richards as Government mediator, was causing deep concern among the workers.

The U.P.W.A representative later explained that negotiations between the union and managements had been carried on until January 4 by means of telephone conversations and correspondence, but had now broken down.

Missing Islands May Reappear

SYDNEY, Australia, Jan. 8 (AP).—A West Pacific islands, missing for about 130 years, may reappear following the violent earthquake in the Antarctic Circle on October 16, scientists at the Riverview Observatory in New South Wales predict. The islands were discovered and charted in 1814, but disappeared a few years later.

Atom Aid In Cancer Is Sought

Society Seeks Data From New Research

NEW YORK, Jan. 8 (P).—The American Cancer Society announced today it is seeking information on the disease from wartime atomic research.

The studies which produced the bomb, the society's statement said, might provide an answer to the question:

"Can we find a way to treat cancer internally by making radio-active certain substances on which cell growth depends?"

"Between Pearl Harbor and V-J Day, cancer killed more than twice as many Americans than did the Germans and Japs," said Dr. Frank R. Arnold, president of the society. "Unless we do something about it, 170,000 more Americans now living will die of cancer."

May Reach Settlement In China Today

CHUNGKING, Jan. 8 (P).—Members of the three-man committee seeking a truce in China's civil strife appeared optimistic after lengthy conferences today that a final settlement would be reached tomorrow, five of the opening of the political consultation conference that will seek nationwide unity.

"The major portion of the problems have been settled and certain details remain to be discussed and disposed of," the committee said in a communique following its third meeting.

Gen George Marshall, United States presidential envoy who presided, and two other conferees representing the National Government and the Chinese Communist party declined to discuss details.

But they left the impression they were optimistic that the efforts to bring about a cease-firing order in China would be successful before Thursday's opening of the inter-party talks here today.

Before issuance of the communique, the Chinese press predicted both the Government and Communist leaders would issue cease-firing orders tomorrow.

Servicemen on Luzon Demand Removal of War Secretary

MANILA, Jan 8 (AP).—A mass meeting of some United States servicemen at Batangas, south of here on Luzon Island, tonight voted to send full-page advertisements in United States newspapers to demand the removal of War Secretary Robert Patterson and appealing to the American public for pressure on Congress to speed the demobilization of overseas forces.

Money collected at the meeting to pay for messages to President Truman and the chairmen of the Senate and House of Representatives military affairs committees totaled $3,700 far in excess of the estimated cable costs. So the men voted to take full-page space in 15 leading dailies.

Cops for the advertisements was approved by acclamation. The one demanding Mr. Patterson's removal charged he was convicted of incompetence by his own statement that he didn't know men overseas were not accumulating discharge points since September 2.

Mr. Patterson said in Tokio delegates he had evidently been misunderstood by reporters who quoted him as making such a statement last week on Guam Monday five of the reporters concerned, in a statement published by Stars and Stripes, denied they had either misquoted or misunderstood him.

The Batangas meeting was orderly and was conducted under parliamentary rules. Although it was predominantly a non-commissioned affair large numbers of junior officers participated.

Question Janitor on Girl's Death

Blood-tained Axe Found in Basement

CHICAGO, Jan. 8 (P).—A 65-year-old janitor who, lawsuits said, "promised I'm a fly" was being questioned in the kidnap-slaying-dismember of Suzanne Degnan Friday night after police said they found a blood-stained axe in his basement apartment.

This find was announced by Police Sergeant Jack Hotchkins who declared bluntly the janitor was "the man who did it."

The suspect, however, protested his innocence.

Later, however, Deputy Coroner Anthony Principato announced Dr. Jerry Kearns believed the axe and hacksaw found earlier were not the weapons employed in the dismemberment. Principato said Dr. Kearns adhered to the conviction the mutilation was done with a sharp knife.

The deputy coroner brought a shopping bag containing fragments of flesh, blood and tissue to the public laboratory for analysis. Principato said 72 hours would be required to determine whether the material taken from washtubs in an apartment building was from a human body.

A 14-inch hacksaw and two pieces of a blood-stained axe were in girl's internal organs were found in another of the three apartment buildings the janitor tends.

Five R.C.A.F. Air Crew Officers Honored at Comox Investiture

COMOX, Jan 8 (P).—Three of the gallantry of fifty R.C.A.F. aircrew officers who had already recognized when they received the Distinguished Flying Cross from Air Vice-Marshal P. F. Dunbar, Air Officer Commanding Western Air Command, in a special investiture here today.

Decorated were The station commander, Group Capt. D. C. S. Macdonald, of Vancouver, F/O. C. R. Reddock, of Mimico, Ont.; F/O. R. Cowan, of Vancouver; F/O. J. L. Durrant, of Ottawa, and F/O. R. H. Watt, of Winnipeg.

Group Capt. Macdonald won his award with 83 Group of the 2nd Tactical Air Force striking air arm of the "Second Front," and has served in India before he returned to Canada to take over command of the R.C.A.F. station at Comox. His citation particularized mention, one citation in which he destroyed two enemy planes.

Flt. Lt. Reddock served in England as air gunner in fainwater heavy bombers and his citation lists many successful operations against the enemy. In which he displayed "high skill, fortitude and devotion to duty."

F/O Durrant was a pilot operating from Newfoundland, when he sighted a submarine and pressed home his attack to drop depth charges in the face of murderous anti-aircraft fire. Despite the fact his starboard wing was damaged by gunfire he continued to engage the enemy until the U-boat disappeared.

F/O. Watt was engaged in hazardous operations with a torpedo squadron of Coastal Command in England, where he was singled out for commendation for his courage in the face of heavy and concentrated fire from enemy ships, and despite the presence of enemy night fighters.

Highest Honor Among Actors To Canadian

NEW YORK, Jan 8 (P).—A nation-wide poll of United States critics and reviewers gave top 1946 honors for acting to Joyce acting as Alexander Knox, of London, Ont., Ingrid Bergman and Greer Garson, the magazine Film Daily said today.

The fifth annual poll hailed Clifton Webb for his "great performance by a supporting actor for the part in "Laura" and Ann Revere as the best supporting actress for her role in National Velvet."

Knox placed first among starring actors for his portrayal of Woodrow Wilson in the film Wilson. Miss Bergman and Miss Garson were tied for first place among starring actresses for their roles in "Bell-bound and Valley of Decision."

Lauren Bacall was named the number one Find of the year.

Giant Photo Reconnaissance Ship Taken Off Secret List

This photograph shows to advantage the streamlined profile of the New Republic XP-12, giant United States Army photo reconnaissance ship which has just been taken off the secret list after two years' development. It is expected to be test flown at an early date. The unusual engine nacelles, almost as big as the fuselage of the Republic a famous P-47 Thunderbolt fighters, show up here. The nacelles embody a new exhaust jet feature, which furnishes a jet of jet propulsion in addition to the 3,000 horsepower delivered by each of the giant Pratt and Whitney Wasp Major engines. This big ship will operate in upper altitudes at speeds comparable to those of Second Great War fighter craft.

Occupational Role Ends for Canada In Three Months

Commitment in Germany Terminates On March 31, It Is Reported Overseas

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 8 (CP).—Canada's commitment of an occupational role in Germany will be terminated on March 31 three months earlier than previously reported, it was indicated by sources here tonight.

(At Ottawa there was no comment from Army or Air Force Headquarters or the External Affairs Department.)

The army occupation force—an outsize reformed 3rd Division under Major-Gen. Chris Vokes—is made up of about 25,000 officers and men. There are another 10,000 men in the occupation R.C.A.F.

There now is reason to believe Field Marshal Montgomery, headquarters have been told to prepare to replace the Canadians so repatriation of the occupation force is scheduled to start March 31.

The date commonly mentioned hitherto for the withdrawal of the C.A.O.F. was June 30.

A recent hint the occupation forces might come home this year was given December 23 in a Christmas message from Prime Minister Mackenzie King.

There also had been other reports about the fate of the force. One said it would be replaced by a force of brigade size this Spring and a second that members of the Veterans Guard might be used overseas.

There had been announcements from Ottawa indicating that numbers of the interim force, now being recruited, might be asked to do occupation force service along with low-score men.

Only about 3,000 men volunteered for service in the occupation division and the remainder was made up for the most part of men with point scores under 50. Certain key officers and men were also selected for service with the force.

A program of rotation leave by which the men with longer service would be given 30 clear days' leave in Canada had been inaugurated and December 1 it was announced new N.C.O.'s were being trained to release high-point non-volunteers for demobilization.

The force was organized in May, 1945, it was indicated army, navy, N.R.M.A. and otherwise—then in training in Canada would eventually see service.

Turkey One-Party System Said Ended

LONDON, Jan 8 (CP).—An Ankara radio announcement said today the one-party system in Turkey has been ended with the formation of a new democratic party under the leadership of Jelal Bayar, Turkish Premier from 1937 to 1939. The broadcast said the new party had "obtained all necessary permissions from the Minister of the Interior."

Canada Building For Prosperity

VANCOUVER, Jan 8 (CP).—Canada is building up for a tremendous flood of prosperity in the years to come, Lt.-Col. Cecil C. Merritt, K.C., Progressive Conservative member of Parliament for Vancouver-Burrard, said today.

"While leaders of organized labor honestly doubt the possibility of constant high wages and full employment, in view of temporary conditions, I am confident that Canada will use new skills and six years of civilian needs to fill will go to higher levels of prosperity," he said.

Highs and Lows Of the Weather

	High	Low	Precip. ins.	Weather
Montreal	36	14		
Toronto	40	18		
North Bay	30	14		
Kamloops	36	18		
Winnipeg	6	2		
The Pas	5	13	.09	
Regina	8	2		
Prince Albert	10	2		
Edmonton	15	17		
Calgary	15	17		
Edmonton	9	10		
Prince Rupert	38	28	Trace	
Vancouver	42	34	Trace	
Victoria	44	36	Trace	
Portland	50	11		
Prince George	32	26	.12	
Seattle	48	34	.02	
San Francisco	54	46		
Chicago	19	4	.47	
Denver	42	26	Trace	
Los Angeles	61	38		
San Francisco	54	46		

Ribbentrop Labeled Meddler; Goering as Utterly Ruthless

NUERNBERG, Germany, Jan. 8 (AP).—The double-crossing dealings of Hermann Goering and Joachim Von Ribbentrop were placed today before the International Military Tribunal by British and American prosecutors who charged that the two Nazi leaders not only planned for war but brazenly sought it.

The two defendants shifted uneasily in the prisoners' dock as the prosecution introduced hitherto secret documents unmasking Goering, Hitler's Reichmarshal, with his "ever-ready smile" and Ribbentrop, Hitler's Foreign Minister, with his "honeyed words."

Ralph H. Albrecht, of the American prosecution staff, described Goering as utterly ruthless and "more dangerous in some respects" than Hitler himself.

Sir David Maxwell Fyfe, acting chief prosecutor for Great Britain, began the case against Ribbentrop, branding him as "an extraordinary meddler" who "could hardly keep his hands out of the internal affairs of other countries."

Sir David said Ribbentrop was the dynamo behind the invasions of Norway, Denmark and Poland, and "did whatever he could to avoid peace with Poland and to bring on the war which we know he wanted, knowing it would involve England and France."

A secret letter put before the tribunal disclosed that Ribbentrop plotted with Field Marshal Wilhelm Keitel, one of the 22 ranking Nazis on trial, and the German High Command on the invasion of Norway and Denmark before the attacks were launched and while he was drawing up non-aggression pacts with those countries.

Ribbentrop was revealed also as the chief financial backer of Major Vidkun Quisling in a master plan aimed at kidnapping King Haakon of Norway.

Sections of the diary of the late Count Galeazzo Ciano, former Italian Foreign Minister, were introduced to show that Ribbentrop moved through Europe signing non-aggression pacts while plotting the best way to break them.

Ribbentrop admitted under pretrial interrogation by American intelligence agents that he did not even bother to confer with the German ambassador in London just before the invasion of Poland. Sir David maintained this was a clear indication Ribbentrop did not particularly care about the British reaction.

Mr Albrecht tabulated the Reichmarshal's deeds as verified by captured German papers. Goering was shown to have negotiated prominently for the absorption of Austria, to have given false assurances of friendship to Poland, to have ordered the first 1,000,000 slave workers brought to Germany from Poland and to have sponsored the art-looting programs for most of occupied Europe.

Goering squirmed when Mr Albrecht called him the "father of the Gestapo and the concentration camp."

Created "Herbie"

SGT.-MAJ. BING COUGHLIN

Creator of "Herbie" and his pals in the famous Maple Leaf cartoons, has been awarded the M.B.E. for meritorious service with the Canadian troops in Europe. Born in Ottawa, Bing had been working in Philadelphia prior to the war.

Atomic Power Secrets Safe Says Truman

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8 (AP).—President Truman today backed State Secretary Byrnes' assurances that the United States' atomic bomb secrets are adequately safeguarded.

He also told a press conference he had no reason to believe reports that Russia has developed an atomic bomb—no bigger than a baseball—which rendered the American-British-Canadian product obsolete.

To reporters who asked for comment on the recent Moscow agreements he replied that, well, he was satisfied. Questioning developed, through brief responses from Mr Truman, that:

1. Mr. Truman believed Secretary Byrnes covered everything thoroughly in his statement yesterday on atomic energy control. Mr. Byrnes gave assurances the proposed United Nations commission would be unable to obtain information the United States was unwilling to give and United States interests would be safeguarded.

2. The President hopes the atomic energy commission will wind up by presenting recommendations for international controls.

3. The United States Government has no reason to believe Russia has produced an atomic bomb. A report of such a development was made yesterday at Londonderry by Dr Ralphael E G Armattoe.

4. The President fully approves the Allied control machinery for Japan set up at Moscow. He did not discuss the controversy in the United States over its possible impact upon Gen. MacArthur's powers.

The Moscow conference would have constructive results, the President said. In fact, he added, it was already having them. He cited as an example the broadening of the Soviet-sponsored Romanian Government, which Britain and the United States thus far have refused to recognise.

Fights for Tiger

Toichiro Araki addressed a crowd of Japanese in Tokio, making a plea for signatures to petition to General MacArthur in a fight to save the life of Lieut.-Gen. Yamashita, the "Tiger of Malaya," under sentence of death by hanging after being found guilty of numerous war crimes committed in the Philippines.

Good Osculation Key to Happiness

EDMONTON, Jan. 8 (CP).—Hidden under the title of a "screwy occupation" is the philosophy of a man in Vegreville, Alta., who believes that successful and accomplished kissing is the secret of complete happiness.

He backs up his belief with the statement that he has made 2,000 married couples happy through his information service on how to be a successful kisser.

He says there are 23 different ways to kiss and most people are hopeless novices at the delightful business.

This revealing information was contained in a letter to the Edmonton Chamber of Commerce.

United Farmers of Alberta Ceases as Farm Movement

CALGARY, Jan. 8 (CP).—History was made here today when the United Farmers of Alberta voted to go out of existence as a farm movement. It and the Alberta Farmers' Union will merge with the Alberta Federation of Agriculture as a non-political organization.

A resolution passed at the U.F.A. convention with only two dissenting votes was identical with resolutions passed by the other groups.

Each group will appoint a committee to continue negotiations and arrange details of amalgamation. Each then will hold a special convention to ratify the plans and to elect six members of a provision board to carry on the work until the first annual convention of the new organization.

The United Farmers of Alberta which for 37 years was the official voice of agriculture in this province, was at one time a political power as well.

In the provincial election of 1921, the U.F.A., led by Herbert Greenfield, defeated the Liberal Administration of Premier Charles Stewart, Winning 39 of the 60 seats in the Legislature, and Greenfield became Premier and Provincial Treasurer.

It was the beginning of a U.F.A. political reign that endured until the Social Credit victory of 1935.

Queen of the Seas To Continue Runs

LONDON, Jan. 8 (CP).—According to the present allocation of shipping, the 85,000-ton Cunard liner Queen Elizabeth will continue to carry Canadian troops until further notice, Canadian military headquarters in London announced today.

The statement was issued after The London Evening Standard printed a story stating that the Elizabeth was about to make her last voyage as a Canadian troop ship.

The statement described as "inaccurate" The Standard's estimate that 15,000 Canadian soldiers would be carried when the ship sails tomorrow from Southampton for New York. The actual allotment, the statement said, is 10,542.

Former Grid Star Dies in Hospital

TORONTO, Jan. 8 (CP).—Little Jimmy Keith, whose exploits on the gridiron carried on to the overseas battlefields, died in hospital last night following a stroke that paralyzed one side of his body. He was 43.

Jimmy, nicknamed "Pocket Hercules" because of his size and his smashing tackling as a member of Toronto football teams, returned from overseas as a sergeant-major with the 48th Highlanders of Toronto last April. He went into actual battle at the age of 40 and consistently earned praise from his officers who said he was oblivious to danger and a great rallying figure in battle.

Ask Extension For Lotteries

A joint appeal by three Vancouver organizations operating lotteries for community projects for extension of the deadline of February 28 will be made to Hon R. L. Maitland, Attorney-General, it was learned today.

Appealing are the Kitsilano Memorial Centre Association, the Air Force Association Building Fund and the Greater Vancouver Veterans, sponsored by the new Veterans' Branch No. 168, Canadian Legion.

All three organizations have recently launched lotteries to raise money for their community project: Kitsilano community centre, and buildings for veteran air force and army personnel.

No date has yet been set for forwarding the appeal.

Refugees Reach American Zone

BERLIN, Jan. 8 (AP).—At least a fourth of the 2,000 Polish-Jewish refugees who fled the Russian sector of Berlin Monday—supposedly to escape evacuation into the Russian occupation zone of Germany—turned up today in the American sector of the city, where they posed a problem of feeding and housing.

Col. Frank L. Howley, American military governor of Berlin, said about 500 of these people had announced their presence in the American zone borough of Wannsee.

Tomorrow, Col. Howley said, the refugees intend to come to him to ask for food. He said he did not know what the answer would be.

More Jobs Coming Says Board Review

VANCOUVER, Jan. 8 (CP).—Hundreds of new jobs will materialize next Spring and Summer for veterans when Vancouver business and industry is able to follow through expansion plans, a Board of Trade survey completed today showed.

There will be many job opportunities when firms are able to get more machines or materials, and this development will occur in the Spring or early Summer, the report showed.

Board of Trade officials said the survey showed that members already have hired 825 veterans in "new jobs"—that is, the new employment of veterans who had not worked for them before. Part of this hiring was credited to the board's campaign to "hire at least one more veteran."

Army Mission For Germany

By ROSS MUNRO
Canadian Press Staff Writer

BERLIN, Jan. 8 (CP).—A Canadian military mission now is established here with the aim of protecting Canadian interests in Germany apart from the Canadian army occupation force.

Lieut.-Gen. Maurice Pope, head of the mission, is expected here in a week after he cleans up in connection with the Paris Reparations Commission which he attended as the Canadian representative.

The Canadian mission's headquarters, in two houses in the Charlottenburg district, now are manned by two staff officers, Col. John McQueen, of Medicine Hat, Alta., former head of the Canadian military staff in Paris, and Capt. A. W. Clabon, of Victoria, former turnover officer at the depot near Pilsen where Canadian army trucks were transferred to Poles and Czechs.

The mission, to function something like an embassy, is the only Canadian unit in Berlin. Other ranks in the staff include Company Sergeant-Major Lorne Warren, of Oroliston, Sask., who fought with the South Saskatchewan Regiment at Caen, Normandy, and who is known to thousands of Canadian soldiers as the Company Sergeant-Major for other ranks at the leave centre in the Palais D'Orsay Hotel, Paris, Cpl. John Wilson, of Vancouver and L.-Cpl. Roy Lix, of Regina.

Piledriver Toppled

POWELL RIVER, Jan. 8 (CP).—A $25,000 piledriver capsized here last night when heavy seas snapped the hawsers causing it to sink in 20 feet of water. Officials of Northern Construction Co., owners of the machinery, report it can be salvaged.

Heads Mines Chamber

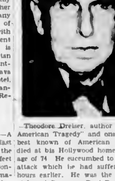
VANCOUVER, Jan. 8 (CP).—A. E. Jukes, prominent Vancouver mining man, has been elected president of the British Columbia and Yukon Chamber of Mines, it was disclosed today. Mr. Jukes also is president of the Vancouver Stock Exchange. He succeeds E. P. Jones.

Honorary president is Hon. E. C. Carson, British Columbia Minister of Mines.

ZONING APPEAL BOARD

The zoning board of appeal will meet in the committee room of the City Hall at 2 p.m. tomorrow.

Theo Dreiser Dies

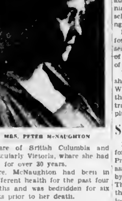


—Theodore Dreiser, author of "An American Tragedy" and one of the best known of American writers, died at his Hollywood home at the age of 74. He succumbed to a heart attack which he had suffered two hours earlier. He was the brother of famed Composer Paul Dreiser.

Pioneer Dies Suddenly Here

Mrs. Peter McNaughton, one of Victoria's most highly esteemed residents and pioneer British Columbian, died in her 87th year last night at St. Mary's Priory.

Her death brought to a close a lifetime of endeavor and achievement spent in the interests and welfare of British Columbia and particularly Victoria, where she had lived for over 30 years.



MRS. PETER McNAUGHTON

Mrs. McNaughton had been in indifferent health for the past four months and was bedridden for six weeks prior to her death.

A native of Glengarry, Ont., she went with her parents, as a girl, to Nevada, but left there in the year 1888 to join a brother, W. A. McIntosh, in Vancouver, shortly after the then pioneer settlement had been burned to the ground.

It was there she met Peter McNaughton, whom she married two and a half years later. She was one of the first white women to reach Vancouver.

After arriving in Victoria in 1914, Mrs. McNaughton, associated herself with the Women's Canadian Club here, not long afterward became a vice-president of the club and in the course of time became the third president. It was during her term of office that the club published "Pioneer Women of Vancouver Island," a work which has won the society much praise.

In recent years she had confined her activities more particularly to the Gordon Head district, where she and her husband had established a fruit farm, years before.

A daughter, Mrs Helen McNaughton Chisholm, whose husband, H. A. Chisholm, is manager of the Sun Life Assurance Co., at Havana, Cuba, journeyed to Victoria recently to be by her mother's side.

A son, Ronald R. McNaughton, is a metallurgist of the Consolidated Mining & Smelting Co. of Canada, Ltd., at Trail, B.C., while a second son, H. A. McNaughton, lives at Los Angeles, California. Also surviving are five grandchildren.

Appoint Minister In Saskatchewan

REGINA, Jan. 8 (CP).—Isidore Charles (Toby) Nollet, 47, C.C.F. member of the Saskatchewan Legislature for Cutknife constituency and deputy speaker of the Legislature during the last two sessions, has been appointed Minister of Agriculture, Premier T. C. Douglas announced tonight.

Mr. Nollet assumes one post formerly held by Co-operatives Minister L. F. McIntosh, who will retain the portfolio of Co-operatives. Mr McIntosh became Minister of Agriculture last February following the resignation of George H. Williams, who later died in Vancouver.

On Solid Foundations

LONDON — Britain's leading wholesale textile houses are rebuilding their trade on solid foundations laid down by a special panel of experts. The Postwar Reconstruction Committee of the Wholesale Textile Association, in a report just published, calls for an overhaul of the machinery of wholesale distribution to gear it to postwar trends. The report emphasizes that all assistance must be given to wholesalers, as representing individual initiative and free competition. The wholesalers must, however, recognize that their function is to act as the selling side of the manufacturing trade. Uneconomic competition must be eliminated by a strict code of fair trading and the trade will work along the lines of settled policy. The views on which recommendations are based came not only from within wholesale trade but from questionnaires widely sent to manufacturers and retailers of all classes.

Balloon Raincoats

LONDON — Many hundreds of barrage balloons, used in the defence of London and other cities in Britain, have been placed by the British Government at the disposal of industry. Raincoats, rubber aprons and various household goods are now being manufactured from the "demobilized elephants," which have been protecting vital targets from Nazi bombers.

GREATEST WINGSPREAD

The albatross has the longest wingspread of all birds, often 14 feet from tip to tip.

Vancouver Forecast

Moderate winds. Cloudy and mild with intermittent rain.

Win Scholarships

Winners of two valuable scholarships offered students of the University of British Columbia were announced yesterday by Norman A. M. MacKenzie, president.

An army veteran, Charles H. Howatson, Vancouver, won the Britannia Mining & Smelting Co., Ltd., scholarship for research in mineralogy.

Rowatson is studying at U.B.C. for his master's degree, doing research work under the department of geology on the mineral content of plants.

Winner of the university scholarship in nursing and health was Miss Waverlie Anna Watson, Vancouver, third year student of nursing in training at Vancouver General Hospital.

Students' Bursaries

Five additional late applications for bursaries and loans under the Provincial Government's scheme to assist students are being considered by the Department of Education. They are special cases. If granted, they will bring the total number of loans and bursaries this school year to 366.

Second half of the bursaries for Normal School students will probably be distributed shortly. University students received the whole of their bursaries and loans at the beginning of the term.

Out of 361 students assisted, 171 are at the University of British Columbia, 20 at Victoria College, nine are in senior matriculation classes at various high schools in the province, 67 are at universities outside British Columbia, 46 are at normal schools, 20 are at nursing schools, three are at vocational schools and two are classed as "miscellaneous."

Kidnapping Charge

ANCHORAGE, Alaska, Jan. 8 (AP).—Henry Jensen, arrested during a search of barrooms, was held today in lieu of $1,000 bond, charged with kidnapping the three-month-old daughter of Mrs. Evelyn Dulak early Sunday.

The baby was found, cold and unattended, at a house here. Mrs. Dulak said she left it in the care of a ten-year-old boy. The boy told authorities a man took the baby on the representation the mother wanted it brought to her.

Discharged in B.C.

VANCOUVER, Jan. 8 (CP).—A total of 38,175 members of the armed forces were discharged in British Columbia in 1945, it was reported today. Of these nearly 5,000 were non-residents of the province.

Totals for each service were: Army, 17,237, air force, 16,374, and navy 5,564.

Chase Bandits

TORONTO, Jan. 8 (CP).—After a 70-mile-per-hour chase through evening traffic here police tonight arrested John Gannon, 38, on two charges of armed robbery and additional charges of car theft and possession of an offensive weapon.

The chase and arrest followed the armed robbery of a drug store operated by Alan Edwards on Madison Avenue in Central Toronto.

Funeral in Indies Gave Couple Ten Minutes Talk, Then to Jap Prisons

VANCOUVER, Jan. 8 (CP).—It took a stranger's funeral to reunite Major William J. Mepham and his wife for ten precious minutes after two terrible years as prisoners of the Japs.

The veteran Salvation Army missionaries told about it today when they and their three children arrived in Vancouver after three and a half years' internment in the Dutch East Indies.

Major and Mrs Mepham went to the tropical isles 18 years ago and served in Java, Sumatra and Celebes. All their children were born there—Jack, now 17, Stuart, 16, and Joyce 11.

The peaceful family idyll ended harshly on April 7, 1942.

The Japs slapped Major Mepham into a native prison and Mrs. Mepham and the children into a women's camp only one mile away in the same Sumatra town.

Husband and wife managed to pass occasional secret letters through native police and the black market. But they didn't see each other's face again for two years, when they met at the funeral of a British evacuee from Singapore.

Major Mepham conducted the funeral service, and he and his wife conversed for ten minutes.

They didn't meet again until 18 months later, when they were released.

Said Major Mepham today: "My wife dropped from 180 pounds to 80. Even now she's only up to 124, but she's gaining. I dropped from 188 to 88, but am already back to 180. Toward the finish, the Japs had us down to 900 calories a day—600 less than needed to maintain health."

But when the enemy realised defeat was near, they suddenly began giving the prisoners more than they could eat, hoping to stave off war-criminal retaliation, the returnees related grimly.

Major Mepham said they were not tortured or abused by their captors but many in the same camps died of malnutrition, and almost everyone had beri-beri and other diseases.

On hand to greet the family—home on a year's furlough—were Mrs Mepham's parents, Brig. and Mrs William Cummins of Vancouver, and Major Mepham's parents, Mr and Mrs C. F. Mepham, of North Vancouver.

Ever See a Setter Sittin' Pretty?

This Irish setter of high degree has no use for weather of low degree, so when the temperature got as cold as eight degrees above zero in New York he did something about his bodily comfort. The master's old hunting cap and muffler came in mighty handy to stave off the bite and augment the pooch's home-grown fur coat.

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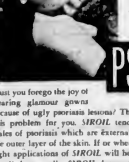

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War Bombs Battered St. James But Services Are Still Held

LONDON, Jan. 8 (CP).—On three occasions during the war German bombs rocked and battered St. James' Anglican Church in bustling Piccadilly but services still are held in a rebuilt corner of the edifice.

Designed by Sir Christopher Wren in 1684 "to hold 2,000 people and all ... preacher, the church now is roofless, weeds carpet the floor and birds make nests along the walls — but there is room for 130 persons to attend the daily services.

The first bomb fell in St. James' Churchyard October 14, 1940, crumbling the four-story rectory and killing the verger and his wife. The same night incendiaries landed on the church proper. Water mains in the district were broken and firemen stood by helpless as flames raced through the structure.

Spurred on by the rector, Ven. C. E. Lambert, church workers dug in quickly to restore at least part of the church. Six months later they had rebuilt the south aisle.

Then concussion from a bomb ... the work. Services were resumed June 1, 1941, and continued until Ash Wednesday, 1944 when a flying bomb exploded in the district, caving in part of the south aisle wall. A two-week repair job was necessary.

Complete restoration will cost an estimated £50,000 ($225,000), and Archdeacon Lambert is hopeful of making a start this year if permission is received from Government authorities.

Legion Members Discuss Housing

Housing and unemployment were discussed at length at a meeting of the Britannia Branch, Canadian Legion, last night.

Members agreed the employment situation was "not at all like that promised the boys when they left for overseas."

"They don't want relief," said President John A. Law-Beattie, "and they don't want a dole. They want jobs."

The housing situation was also brought under severe criticism. "The members are not at all satisfied with the manner in which this matter has been handled," the president stated.

Annual meeting of the organization will be held next month.

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Do you stop growing at 21? *Can* a man tell what his sweetheart's future figure will be by looking at her mother? Do people over 40 *really* shrink? Do thin people live longer than fat people? Try this fascinating quiz in January Reader's Digest. It may explode many of your pet ideas about the way we look, grow and behave! Get your copy today.

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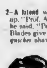

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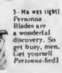

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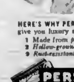

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Town Planning

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Placing of electric and telephone wires in the downtown area underground. This could be done gradually, Mr. Shaw said.

A proper survey to establish street lines where they have not been established before.

Preservation of historic sites.

Selecting of sites from land now owned by the city for municipal buildings.

The Town Planning Commission is an advisory body only, Mr. Shaw pointed out, and could only act on matters referred to it by the City Council. It has nothing officially to do with regional planning, he said, but the commission would be able to consult with town planning commissions in adjoining municipalities, such as the one set up in Oak Bay.

Mr. Shaw reminded the commission that Victoria is surrounded on three sides by large urban areas containing possibly 40 per cent of the area's population. Such areas are valuable and should be taken into consideration by planners, he said, especially in designing arterial highways. Access to shopping areas should be provided for those in outside areas, he stated, so as not to encourage setting up of outlying commercial areas.

SEES AMALGAMATION POSSIBLE IN 10 YEARS

There was a possibility of amalgamation in 10 or 15 years, Mr. Shaw remarked.

He explained the zoning by-law with the aid of maps, listing types of zones from single family areas to industrial. There had been 46 amendments to the by-law, he said.

Some controversy followed W. E. O. Crisford's suggestion that an expert be employed immediately. Town planning was a specialized profession, he said. Miss Marjorie Hill argued that it was "just common sense." Members of the commission should make a thorough study of the question before hiring anyone, she said.

The property opposite the proposed civic arena site has been reserved from sale, it was revealed. It was also stated by Mr. Shaw that 90 per cent of property needed for widening "The Dardanelles" is in city hands.

CITY SCHOOLS ARE NEEDED

Austin I. Curtis, chairman of the school board, told the commission that city schools were badly overcrowded and an early start on the new North Junior High School was necessary. He stated that the proposal to acquire some Provincial Government lands adjoining the Graham estate for school purposes awaited decision by the Cabinet after Premier Hart's return.

The commission received some suggestions on establishment of a civic centre and city beautification from Roderick D. Clark, a Victoria ex-airman, who had written his brief overseas.

Present at the meeting were Forrest L. Shaw, chairman; Major Kilpatrick-Crockett, acting secretary; Austin I. Curtis, Walter Midles, R. H. B. Ker, W. E. O. Crisford, F. N. Horsey, Mayor George and Miss Hill.

IMPACT DAMAGES AUTOS

Automobiles driven by Ralph S. Stanhope, 3871 Saanich Road, and Edwin R. Baldwin, 1040 North Park Street, received considerable damage when they collided in the 1300 block Quadra Street yesterday at 5.20 p.m. No one was injured, according to police.

Refused to Quit

Centre of a rising storm of criticism, Sir Frederick E. Morgan, U.N.R.R.A. chief in Germany, has said that the Jews in Europe apparently have formulated a plan for a mass exodus to Palestine. Unable to identify the alleged organization for such a movement, he said he believes it to be cleverly camouflaged, and charged that stories of pogroms and atrocities against Jews in Poland are based less and less on fact. He further charged that such stories were by-products of a Jewish plan to force United Nations' action to give the Jews a permanent home. His statements drew sharp criticism from Jewish spokesmen. He refused to leave his post or to resign.

Cowichan Legion Seeks to Change Memorial Site

DUNCAN, Jan. 8.—The annual meeting of the Cowichan Branch, Canadian Legion, was held Monday evening at the Legion Hall, the president, A. D. Aiken, in the chair.

Thirty-seven new members joined, among them several members of the Women's Division.

Officers for 1946 were installed by the zone representative, A. J. Castle, and the retiring president was presented with a past president's jewel.

Following a motion introduced by F. W. Hitchcox, which was approved by the meeting, it was decided to appoint a committee to interview the City Council, asking it to consider a plan to move the present War Memorial at the intersection of Station Street and Canada Avenue to the small park near the E. & N. Station; to raise the Cenotaph by one block of granite and thus make room for the names of the men who gave their lives in the Second Great War.

Deals With Driftwood

A warning that it is not the privilege of an individual to assert his supposed right by force, and a statement that driftwood collected on the beach belongs to no person unless he has actual physical control of it, was included in a judgment handed down in city police court yesterday by Magistrate Henry C. Hall.

He levied a $5 fine against Edward E. Eastwood, who pleaded not guilty to a charge of assaulting Edward H. Delpart, 67 Menzies Street.

Delpart testified that while he was collecting beachwood near Dallas Road on January 2, Eastwood had accused him of stealing, called him a liar, and hit him in the face with his fist.

The accused said he had collected the beachwood, piling it on the beach and marking it with red and yellow chalk. He claimed he had caught Delpart stealing the wood and had called him a thief. He had tried to take the wood away from Delpart, but had not struck him, he added.

Will Be Guest at Arion Concert

Miss Grace Adams, one of the leading soprano soloists of Victoria, will be heard at the Arion male voice concert on January 18 in the Empress ballroom. This young lady has a pleasing voice, has studied under Madame Zakrajensky, and appeared as leading soloist with the Elizabethan singers at the recent Empress festivities. Miss Adams will be heard in two groups of well-known songs. One number the choir have placed on the program is a setting of "O Hush Thee My Babe" by the late well-known musician and organist, G. Jennings Burnett. The selection has been dedicated to the Arions.

Atomic Bomb Biggest Topic For United Nations Talks

LONDON, Jan. 8 (CP).—Great Britain and the United States tonight appeared to be in agreement that the basic secret of atomic energy must be safeguarded under proposed plans for the United Nations General Assembly to control the atom bomb.

James F. Byrnes, United States Secretary of State, said today he believed the issue of safeguarding the basic secrets of atomic energy would be settled satisfactorily.

Ernest Bevin, British Foreign Secretary, said at a press conference a "defence against the atomic bomb is the success of the United Nations organization."

There was some American concern that the secrecy safeguards were jeopardized by the wording of a resolution submitted to the United Nations, recommending establishment of a commission to deal with atomic energy.

Exception was taken to a recommendation that the commission "shall proceed with the utmost dispatch and inquire into all phases of the problems."

However, Mr. Byrnes said the plan specifies all stages in dealing with the problem will be concurrent with security.

The British view is understood to be the same.

Mr. Byrnes said that "whenever people have the same objective they never have trouble finding language to reach the objective."

He expected to have an early talk with Senator Arthur Vandenberg, of Michigan, one of two Republican members of the delegation who did not attend the delegation's first press conference Monday.

This week the delegates will do most of their work in plenary session, starting at Thursday's inaugural gathering when they will elect a president in place of Dr. Zuleta Angel, of Colombia, president of the preparatory commission. Henri Spaak, Belgian Foreign Minister is a candidate.

400,000 American Workers Off Job As New Strikes Threaten Industry

NEW YORK, Jan. 8 (CP).—A telegraph strike in New York City and New Jersey tonight hindered communications throughout the world and highlighted a troubled United States labor-management scene tonight.

... ers were off the job in unsettled disputes, while another 1,500,000 were involved in imminent strike threats.

Top development in negotiations to head off strikes came when President Truman told a press conference a price increase in steel probably would be granted. He refused to speculate on whether it would avert a nation-wide strike of some 800,000 C.I.O. steelworkers set for next Monday.

A walkout of 7,000 Western Union employees in New York City and some surrounding communities in a wage dispute left the city in virtual telegraphic isolation.

The strike, which impeded business communications all over the world, began four hours ahead of schedule after union spokesmen, representing the American Communications Association (C.I.O.), said the company was shipping in "four carloads of strikebreakers," a charge denied by Western Union.

Joseph L. Egan, Western Union president, said 30 supervisors were brought in and that the plant protection force at the main office had been increased, but denied the statement that strikebreakers had been employed.

The strike affected approximately 1,600 points in New York City and New Jersey municipalities.

Supervisory employees remained on duty to transmit messages of "life and death" importance, and Government and military messages were not affected. The Navy, however, said its own telegraph channels were inadequate to carry all messages.

Western Union is not accepting any telegrams out of New York to Canada or any point in the United States—bored but polite telephone operators at the company's personal service office told callers today.

The girls said that no distinction is being made between wires to Canada and those to points in the United States outside of New York while the strike lasts.

In Washington, Government conciliators deliberated price boosts for the meat packing industry, in which a nationwide strike is set for January 16.

No official announcement, other than the President's statement, was made regarding price hikes for steel, but industry sources said they heard Administrator Chester Bowles of the Office of Price Administration was willing to permit up to $2.50 a ton increase on steel products. The industry has asked $7. Two dollars a day is the wage increase demanded by the C.I.O. steelworkers.

Conciliation meetings were set to begin Wednesday in Chicago in an effort to avert the meat packing strike.

In the month-and-a-half General Motors Corporation dispute, the President's fact-finding panel was expected to report shortly with its findings, which may influence the steel, oil and other negotiations.

General Motors, besides being paralyzed by its dispute with the automobile workers, was one of three big firms threatened by a walkout of 200,000 United Electrical Workers (C.I.O.) set for January 15. The other firms are General Electric and Westinghouse Electric.

Here are some of the 17,000 employees of 21 Western Electric Company plants in New York and New Jersey who went out on strike January 3 to strike a keynote which, by January 16, might see a total of 1,500,000 workers carrying picket signs. This view was taken outside the Western Electric plant at 403 Hudson Street, New York City.

Youths to Stand Trial at Assizes

NANAIMO, Jan. 8.—Two 20-year-old youths, Roy W. Twaddell, Steveston, and Thomas S. Syme, Crofton, were committed for trial at next assize court here today by Magistrate Lionel Beevor Potts on a charge of breaking and entering the Parksville Government Liquor Store on December 10 and stealing 304 bottles of liquor, valued at $1,500.

Immediately following the hearing Symes was charged with having unsealed liquor in his possession, having been arrested on December 11 on a Nanaimo street with five bottles of rum in his possession. He was fined $50 and costs or in default 30 days in jail. Another charge is pending against Twaddell, that of attempting to steal an automobile. This will be a preliminary hearing and will be heard by Magistrate Potts on January 16.

On January 4 Twaddell and Syme were tried at Oak Bay on a charge of burglary after entering a private residence, and were committed for trial.

Evidence showed today that on the morning following the Parksville robbery, Constable Terry Stewart, Nanaimo, arrested the accused on a Nanaimo street, carrying several bottles of unsealed liquor. This connected them up with the Parksville robbery, and Sub-Inspector J. Russell afterwards testified that on the evening of December 11 Twaddell led police to a place near the Parksville liquor store, where 18 cases of liquor were hidden.

Flies With Mails: Forgets His Car

OTTAWA, Jan. 8 (CP).—Tip to Flt. Lt. Leonard Turtle of Saskatoon, member of the R.C.A.F. Mail Squadron: Next time you help take a load of mail overseas park your car with the police department—it will be in good hands and cause less trouble.

Police were baffled when they were called to investigate a car on a city street, apparently abandoned several days ago. They took it to police station and then found it belonged to the Saskatoon airman, absent on a mail flight. He can have it back in good order when he returns later this week.

Duke Visits King

LONDON, Jan. 8 (CP).—The Duke of Windsor visited his brother, the King for one hour at Buckingham Palace tonight.

Earlier the Duke received Edward Stettinius, an American delegate to the United Nations Organization Assembly and a personal friend, at Marlborough House where he is staying. He also visited Foreign Secretary Bevin.

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Duncan City Council Appoints Working Committees for Year

DUNCAN, Jan. 8.—At a meeting of the Duncan City Council Monday evening committees for 1946 were named. The committees will be: Finance, Aldermen F. O. Aldersey and Walter Hudson; streets, Aldermen W. Evans and H. Marsh; sewerage, health and buildings, Mayor O. H. Savage and Alderman Aldersey; social assistance, Alderman Hudson; fire warden, Alderman Marsh; parks and gardens, Aldermen Marsh and Evans; hospital, Alderman Hudson; light and water, Alderman Evans and Mayor Savage; fuel, Alderman Marsh; and rehabilitation, Alderman Aldersey.

Alderman W. Evans presided in the absence, through illness, of Mayor Savage and the newly elected members, W. Hudson and H. Marsh, were duly sworn in.

An application from Cowichan Chapter, I.O.D.E., for permission to hold a tag day April 13 was tabled until further information as to the object of the tag day is obtained. A letter from the Chamber of Commerce pointing out the bad state of the sidewalk on the Island Highway leading to the schools was read, and it was pointed out that this was not a city matter but came under the Provincial Public Works.

Alderman Evans reported that materials for installing a proper surface drainage system were now available, and the work will be carried out.

A temporary loan by-law for 1946 was given three readings.

"Hams" Return to Air in Britain

LONDON, Jan. 8 (Reuters).—Britain's "hams"—the amateur radio broadcasts — will soon be back on the airwaves with their friendly and far-reaching hobby. The Government announced tonight that the 5,500 amateur radio station licences withdrawn at the outbreak of the war are being returned and some new licences are being issued. "Hams" in North America went back on the air last November 15.

Horticultural Group Elects New Officers

By acclamation, G. H. Davey was elected president of the Victoria Horticultural Society at the annual meeting last night in the City Hall. He succeeds E. M. Whyte.

Other officers named were: F. E. Boulter, vice-president, by acclamation, and Alderman D. D. McTavish, secretary-treasurer, re-elected for a seventh term.

Executive members elected were W. C. Cave, Capt. W. Ellis, T. H. Harper, Mrs. Angus McKay, Mrs. R. H. Ludbrook, Alex Mitchell, Alex Main, A. E. Powell, W. H. Warren and F. W. Waller.

A large increase in membership was praised by Mr. Whyte in his annual report, and Alderman McTavish noted the added interest being taken in annual shows of the organization. Moving pictures of different scenic parts of Canada were shown.

Try New System on First-Year Pupils

WINNIPEG, Jan. 8 (CP).—When Manitoba six-year-olds start school next Fall they will find the first of the three R's has been brightened up for them in a manner heretofore untried.

At least that is the hope of the Department of Education which is preparing to introduce the first stage of a new curriculum foundation series for the better teaching of reading.

The series which also will be adopted in Saskatchewan and Alberta has been decided upon following research by the Western Canada Committee on readers and consists of four pamphlets, two readers containing mainly colored pictures for the first grade, a workbook and a teachers guide.

Advantages claimed under the new methods include providing of a greater variety of reading with the same number of words, making reading more interesting because of added attractiveness and giving the pupil a better understanding of the meaning of words.

Declines to Leave

LONDON, Jan. 8 (AP).—London headquarters of U.N.R.R.A. disclosed today that Lt.-Gen. Sir Frederick Morgan, Chief of U.N.R.R.A. operations in Germany, had refused to resign his post and declined to leave Frankfort, Germany, for London pending receipt of more complete information.

U.N.R.R.A. officials conferred after receiving Morgan's reply to their demand that he relinquish his post and return to London.

Your Daily Forecast

By EDWARD A. WAGNER

PLANETARY GUIDE FOR WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 9, 1946

Keywords for the Day: Control, poise, adjustment.

Wednesday in General: Keep personalities well under the surface if dealing with women or the public at large. Evening trends favor entertainment, recreation, new ventures, in hospitality.

If January 9 Is Your Birthdate: "Many happy returns." Famous persons born on this date include: Anita Louise, movie actress; Carrie Chapman Catt, suffragist; Richard Halliburton, traveller and author.

Your Year Ahead: Make headway on the home front. Defer to parental, local ties in deciding career matters. Family affairs are likely to take priority in your life this year.

Dutch Seamen Sent Back to Homeland

HALIFAX, Jan. 8 (CP).—Four happy Netherlands merchant seamen saw the last of a Halifax jail today, boarding the 7,036-ton Dutch freighter Aelbert Cuyp just before she sailed for their homeland.

The seamen had been held in prison here for years during the war and were deported today as arrangements between the Canadian and Netherlands Governments had only recently been completed to send them home.

The Dutchmen were placed in prison for refusing to sail aboard ships during the war and Chief Immigration Inspector A. O. Christie said this was the wartime regulation.

They were offered opportunities to sail aboard other vessels, but had refused and consequently were held in jail, he explained.

Says Drew's Fiscal Plan Hit at Unity

EDMONTON, Jan. 8 (CP).—If Ontario persists in its rejection of the principle of per capita distribution of the returns from income and corporation tax in Canada, "it will be a blow at political and economic unity in this country," Elmer E. Roper, Alberta leader of the C.C.F., said in a statement here tonight.

Mr. Roper was commenting on the submission by Premier Drew of Ontario demanding fiscal autonomy for the nine provinces, and expressing outright opposition to complete surrender to the Dominion Government of provincial powers to tax personal and corporation income and estates in return for fixed grants-in-aid based on population.

The Ontario Government is quite right in demanding a larger per capita share of income and corporation taxes for the provinces, Mr. Roper said, but if it upsets the principle of distribution on a per capita basis as proposed by the Federal Government it will set back Canadian unity and progress.

He declared that both natural wealth and money incomes are unequally distributed in Canada and without some system of per capita distribution such as proposed by the Dominion Government there will continue to be "have" and "have-not" provinces. This, he said, is a source of disunity in any field.

"Statistics of income and corporation tax returns in 1940 indicate the need of sharing on a per capita basis, in that year Saskatchewan collected about $2,000,000 in British Columbia with the same population the amount realized from income and corporation levies was more than $12,000,000."

Mr. Roper said he hoped Premier Ernest Manning would make it clear that he does not agree with the Ontario proposal.

"The only way we can hope to achieve political and economic unity in this country is to be Canadians first and Ontarians and Albertans second."

Demand Posts In Cabinet

ATHENS, Jan. 8 (AP).—Leaders of the Leftist E.A.M. (National Liberation Front) demanded tonight that Greek Regent Archbishop Damaskinos admit left wing elements to Cabinet positions as the only way out of "present political and economic chaos" resulting from a rapidly spreading general strike.

Most vital services in the capital area already have been paralyzed by the strike for higher wages.

The strike spread to the provinces after negotiations to halt the work stoppages broke down. British representatives attending wage conferences said continuation of the strike might prejudice and even lead to failure of the Greek financial discussions now under way in London.

SPEAKS ON TREES HERE

W. H. Warren, city parks superintendent, spoke on "Exotic Trees in Victoria," during a meeting of Victoria Natural History Society in the Provincial Library last night.

LUNCHEON AT HOSPITAL

J. Denis Hagar, president of the Victoria Kiwanis Club, announced yesterday that the club's luncheon meeting on January 29 would be held in the new maternity wing of the Royal Jubilee Hospital. Members will be given an opportunity to view the new addition to the hospital, for which they have pledged themselves to collect $40,000.

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Taxation

Four of the nine Provinces of Canada have now objected to the Dominion Government's interim fiscal proposals for a redivision of taxation and responsibilities between the nation and its parts. The central rock of objection appears to be in the Dominion's suggestion that the Provinces accept a $12 per capita subsidy in lieu of their rights to levy income, corporation and succession duty imposts—or the direct taxation they were specially granted under the British North America Act. That is understandable inasmuch as the Dominion is taking so much as $1,000 per individual from certain incomes in these Provinces now, under wartime exactions.

Premier Drew's proposals that the Dominion and Provinces create a pooling fund is an original suggestion, but there is some doubt as to its practicability. Which of the nine Provinces would agree readily that its share from the pool would be less in any one year so that that of another Province might be more? Yet complete agreement would have to be present and continually, to make the plan work.

We have already said that the thought of an interim, rather than a fixed, settlement now is timely. At the same time, the Dominion is asking for a great deal of revenue-producing taxation at the expense of the Provinces. The twelve dollar subsidy would not begin to weigh in the balance per contra. Here in British Columbia it might work out at considerably less than the Dominion returns to this Province now out of its temporarily surrendered income taxes and corporation levies.

The Provinces will be under no illusion as to the onerous character of the levies sought by Ottawa. They are the cream in the Provincial treasuries, ceded in war, but still the legal right of the several Provinces. If they can be talked out of these revenues without a proper and abiding return per contra they will be reduced to a state of economic vassalage. There is the issue, and no amount of window dressing will serve to cloak it.

The Mackenzie King Administration is not the happiest one to make such proposals to the Provinces. In war, the Provinces simply did not seem to count at Ottawa. Now, when the official declaration of the war's end is expected, Mr. King proposes as an interim settlement an arrangement which four of the nine Provinces cannot endorse in its present form. Obviously, more discussion must follow. In that discussion the Dominion should ask for a good deal less, and the Provinces should see where they are able, physically, to offer—not co-operation until its kills, but—co-operation with a reasonable and attainable future. Meanwhile, the British North America Act is still the law of this land, and must remain so until it is altered or repealed.

Forestry Report

If successive governments in British Columbia had listened more often and more carefully to their own trained foresters there would be less need today for the Sloan report, now placed in the hands of the current administration. It is safe to say that every basic fact with a pertinent bearing on our timber wealth has been in the hands of British Columbia for years. The latest report, but one of several made through the years, can only bring such data up to date. The real question remains: Will the Government act?

It is fair to state that during the last decade the British Columbia Forest Service has made a number of visible improvements in the situation, with governmental sanction. More attention has been paid to logging methods, to slash burning, to equipment, and, above all, to what is left upon the ground. In this the forest products industry has co-operated, and quite often it has led. But in war large cuts were demanded of British Columbia, and the annual rate of cutting continued much above what in prudence it might have been.

What the Sloan report no doubt will aim at, and what in any event the people are interested in, is what degree of cutting and usage can British Columbia support in the years that are to come? We are entering upon new times. The extravagance of the past will no longer serve. The waste—and by Old World standards it is appalling—will probably have to be limited. New methods, new products are waiting to emerge, and, indeed, new markets to use them. Here, then, is the opportunity for a fresh start. Officially the Government can help to make that start a better one than any British Columbia has known. Royal Commissions have their uses, but in the long run only deeds will count. What is British Columbia prepared to do to husband its timber wealth?

Chlorination

Now that Mayor Percy George has come out directly against the city paying $7,000 a year to humor the whim of Dominion Government chlorinators, perhaps the end of this imposition is in sight. For domestic purposes the war was to be ended officially on January 1 so far as Canada was concerned. Ottawa no longer will be willing to pay the cost of the chlorination the Government forced on a reluctant city.

Why Ottawa should expect Victoria to pay for something it does not want would be a mystery if it were not all too true that Dominion Government officials follow their ideas until they become obsessions. The chlorination of Victoria and Vancouver for that matter, might fairly be said to be in that category. The project was highly unpopular all over the Coast. In this city the people turned it down overwhelmingly in a plebiscite vote. The City Council was against it. The city health officers were against it. Yet it was foisted on an unwilling community—as a war measure.

Well, the war is over and the excuse that the health of the troops demanded chlorination no longer holds good. It never had much validity. Incidentally, there were troops here from the outbreak of war and for many years before it, yet Ottawa did not discover their "health" was threatened until 1943. It was more like a case of Dominion health officials suddenly discovering a bee in their bonnets, and pursuing it with vim but small discretion.

In Vancouver chlorination is expected to end about March 31, when the last of the units stationed there will be broken up. There will always be servicemen around Victoria, but that will be no excuse for perpetuating a superfluous action. If Dominion concern for the water they drink is still uppermost, it should be easy for the services to chlorinate their own. Victorians will be happy with the mountain variety that has served this community for 102 years. This is one instance where what was good enough for the forefathers is good enough for succeeding generations.

Air Force Remembrance

What he describes as an air force "Remembrance Day" will be held next Summer, according to Air Vice-Marshal K. G. Nairn, R.C.A.F., Ottawa air adviser visiting in this city. Aircraft and equipment used during the war will be displayed at centres throughout the Dominion in an effort to double the $2,500,000 standing to the credit of the R.C.A.F. Benevolent Fund, from which ex-airmen in urgent need may derive benefit.

The object is entirely laudable and will no doubt receive the whole-hearted support of the Canadian people, who have grateful memories of the heroic part played by members of the Royal Canadian Air Force. Care will have to be taken, however, in the nomenclature adopted to mark this memorial occasion. The official Remembrance Day, which falls in November, is a national celebration sacred to the memory of all branches of the fighting forces, and its incidence should not be obscured by adoption for other occasions of the same designation.

Confusion will be avoided if some other term is used, air force "Celebration Day," for example. There is the point, also, that the army or the navy might want to stage a memorial day, to which they would have an equal right. The ambiguity that would result is obvious, and would be detrimental to the national day that embraces all remembrance.

Given a more appropriate designation in relation to the annual national ceremony, this country will be proud and glad to celebrate the feats of its air force on a day chosen for that purpose. Some of the flower of this land served in its ranks, and their courage is enshrined in all hearts. To contribute to the fund that will aid any one of them over a financial stile is an obligation that will be accepted willingly. Official postwar provisions for servicemen cannot cover all contingencies and the R.C.A.F. Benevolent Fund is designed to help in cases that are outside the scope of regular channels.

Seen in Passing

Let the courts say what they may—and sometimes do—a man who has hauled driftwood out of the sea, cut and stacked it on dry land, and turns his back to retrieve more, will expect the world to leave his pile alone. He salvaged it. His efforts made it usable for firewood or for other purposes. If he is deprived of the result of his labors he will be something less than human if he does not feel aggrieved. The world, on the whole, will understand, and, more particularly, the beach-combing fraternity who can spot an unmilled log at three miles distance on the tide.

If the world were taken seriously into its study and asked, we believe that it would say it has small interest in atomic energy bombs or in any other kind of bombs. Its heart, where we can discern one at all, seems to be engaged in the pursuit of peace, however illusively. After peace has been restored the world no doubt will take up once more its older quest—the pursuit of happiness. If there is any place for a bomb in that concept it would be in a museum, properly decapped.

My King and Lord

Love was and is my King and Lord
And will be, though as yet I keep
Within his court on earth, and sleep
Encompassed by his faithful guard

And hear at times a sentinel
That moves about from place to place
And whispers to the vast of space
Among the worlds, that all is well

And all is well, though faith and form
Be sundered in the night of fear
Well roars the storm to those that hear
A deeper voice across the storm

—TENNYSON

It is not nice for a man to pray cream and live skimmed milk.

—OLD ENGLISH PROVERB

He who eats with most pleasure is he who least requires sauce. —XENOPHON.

The Third Column

By TOM TAYLOR

COLD SHOULDER

This column has been disturbed recently to run across one or two cases of servicemen receiving what amounts to the cold shoulder from their former employers upon returning from overseas.

It has been made all too clear to them they are not so welcome as they thought they would be—and as they had a right, surely, to expect.

Their former jobs are filled by others, or they have lost experience by their service in the forces, or they are not worth the salary the passage of time would have justified had they remained on the job.

There are other reasons, sometimes, but these will suffice.

It is not suggested this is the common reaction to the return of war veterans. Too many examples prove otherwise. Many firms and organizations have made ample provision for their employees in the services and protected their status during their absence. Victoria has a good record in this regard. There are, however, some instances where the return of a serviceman seems to be regarded as a nuisance.

As can be imagined, the inevitable result is hurt and disappointment, and a bitter recollection of the promises made when the employee enlisted.

DETACHMENT DIFFICULT

Unless you are as hard-boiled as such an employer must be it is difficult to view this sort of thing with detachment.

It is true there is a law. Employers can be compelled to take back their employees, but the law might as well not be written. A man's future is hopeless if he has to be forced on to a payroll.

This column had a visit yesterday from a young serviceman not long back from overseas. The boy—for he is still in his early twenties—was obviously a bit down at the mouth, and puzzled.

Puzzled because he had called on his former employer and received the kind of reception cited above. He was not yet bitter, but you could see disillusionment dawning. His self-esteem was hurt—the self-esteem that had made him wear a Canadian uniform with pride.

A similar experience befell this column 26 years ago in another land and at the end of another war. That made it easy to understand the boy's feelings—but no easier to understand the employer.

LOST APPRENTICESHIP

The return of servicemen poses a problem for some employers. That is granted. When a boy of 19 comes back a man of 24, for example, readjustment may be difficult. You can't pay him a boy's wages, yet he hasn't the skill at his trade or business five years apprenticeship would have taught him.

But has he not been serving his apprenticeship?

Along different lines, yes. But surely belonging to the same business after all.

The war was total war. Everything and everybody was involved. If we had lost—and because we won it doesn't alter the fact that we might not, or that at more than one stage our chances were quite slim—no business would have been left intact.

That's not mere rhetoric, it is a truth plain enough to anyone who cares to take time to think it over.

And who, after all, won the war for us? Was it not the men who went overseas?

SERVED EMPLOYER

It shouldn't be necessary, then, to point out that the boy who gave up his job to enlist was serving his employer while overseas just as truly as if he had never left the shop.

And it was a severe, sometimes cruel, apprenticeship. Does it not entitle him to be welcomed as a journeyman when he comes back?

Every man's conscience must be his own judge. But I'd hate to be the employer who could look coldly at one of his staff upon his return from the battle areas.

The world can't be handed to war veterans on a plate. Very few of them expect it to be. But most of them expect a square deal, and they have every right to that.

And the youths who come back eagerly to their former places of employment should be welcomed—thankfully.

To spurn them or grudge their return is, in the opinion of this column, contemptible.

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THE CHILD DESERTER

New Year Is Bright With Human Hope

Contributed

(Editor's Note: The following is the text of an eloquent address delivered by Dr. W. J. Bipprell to the Rotary Club of Victoria on January 3 as a new year's message.)

In the good providence of God, who has brought us through the year just closed, we have now made three steps beyond the threshold of the new year of 1946. How many more steps we may yet take along the highway of this new year no one of us can say, such are the uncertainties of life's duration for every one of us. During the year that has just passed into history we have been aware of that fact, for some have slipped out of our ranks for reasons we cannot give and they walk no longer by our side. We have high hopes that they now walk on more enduring ways than we tread, in a life nobler than the life we live upon the earth today. The one-time poet laureate of England, Lord Alfred Tennyson, in the 106th Canto of his immortal poem, "In Memoriam," speaks of the passing of the old year into the new, saying:

"Ring out the old, ring in the new,
Ring happy bells across the snow,
The year is going, let him go,
Ring out the false, ring in the true."

Such a sentiment may be allowed as to poetry, but it does not fit so well into the facts of human experience. It is an over simplification of life as we know it. The old year cannot be so easily dismissed as that. There is a significant legacy from 1945. Some of this is due to the outward circumstances in our experiences of 1945. We have come through a tumult in life that will not wholly subside. There are memories in the outward struggle of our tumultuous war-torn world that are still with us, and may long haunt our way. Then, too, there are, for most of us, haunting memories of the follies of our personal life that are all too clear to us. There are pictures that hang on memory's wall of which we are by no means proud. We cannot take them down nor turn them to the wall. They are to us a silent rebuke but they can also be a challenging call to us, saying, "Do not repeat in the new year the follies of the year that has gone, nor carry over from the old year any unnecessary and unwanted luggage to weigh us down and impede our progress in the new year that is ours."

In a large measure the way we go is of our own choosing: the history we write is the story of our own life and is penned by no hand but our own. Ours is not a wholly unguided way. Robert Browning in the remarkable poem "Paracelsus," thinking no doubt, as he wrote of the instinct of the birds, makes his hero say:

"I see my way as birds their trackless way,
I shall arrive. What time, what circuit first,
I do not ask, but unless God send His hail
On blinding fire balls, sleet or blinding snow,
In some good time, His time, I shall arrive,
He guides me and the bird."

Fortunate is he who has a sense of such a guidance on the highway of life.

My New Year wish for you all is that yours may be "The Life Abundant." I am not interested in any increase in the volume of your business nor of your bank balance. Material abundance I do not crave for you, for such may pass from you with the passing years—I rather wish for you those spiritual resources that abide for you and defy all attempts of time to wrest them from your hand. Let me make plain to you how these may become your most valuable possessions. They become yours when you possess some great interest in life that leads you out beyond yourself. It may be some worthy humanitarian interest that you make your own—an interest in your community, your nation or your world. An interest in human welfare that knows no boundaries of color, class or creed. I will not ask you to denounce, or disregard a proper love of self. You cannot retain a vigorous personality if you denounce yourself, but see to it that you love your neighbor as yourself. Match your love of self with love of your fellowman who has need of the help you can give him, and you become a worthy citizen of the world in which you are permitted to live your life.

Moreover, I call you in this New Year of opportunity and of privilege and responsibility to possess yourself of a vital religious interest. Let our interest in men be not only a humanitarian interest but a religious interest as well. Treat men not simply as Canadians, Americans, or as other worthy national entities, but have an interest in all men because all men are children of God. If we rise to that high estimate of human personalities we shall make a mighty contribution to the making of a new world whose highest values will be found in its regard for beauty, truth and love. I presume that most of you belong to one Christian Church or another, and because of that fact I have spoken of a vital religious interest.

Where do you count in the church of your choice? Is your church the more vital because you are in it? Some times I have wished that I might have the power and authority to cut out all the dead timber in all the Christian Churches that name the name of Christ. He who names the name of Christ, but is not a vital member of His body, which is the Church, he who does not count in the progress of His Kingdom, is not one of His for "he that hath not the spirit of Christ 'saith the Scripture' is none of His."

And now in conclusion, may I gather up what I wanted to bring you as a message that might show you how I think we should try to meet the opportunities and responsibilities that will face us throughout this New Year. First, with a firm and steadfast faith in God, in man and in ourselves. Second, with a high hope that will challenge every fear. Third, with a vision of our duty toward God and man as clear as a noonday sun. This it seems to me, is well expressed in Robert Browning's poem, "Rabbi Ben Ezra," in which the poet says:

"Grow old with me,
The best is yet to be
The last of life for which the first was made
Our times are in His hand
Who saith, A whole I planned
Youth shows but half—Trust God—see all—nor be afraid."

W. J. BIPPRELL.

Sunrise and Sunset

JANUARY

Times of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1946.

Date	Sun-rise	Sun-set	Date	Sun-rise	Sun-set
1	8 06	16 28	17	8 00	16 48
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7	8 06	16 36	23	7 55	16 57
8	8 06	16 06	24	7 54	16 58
9	8 05	16 37	25	7 53	17 00
10	8 04	16 39	26	7 54	17 02
11	8 06	16 40	27	7 50	17 03
12	8 06	16 41	28	7 48	17 05
13	8 03	16 44	29	7 48	17 07
14	8 02	16 46	30	7 47	17 08
15	8 02	16 46	31	7 46	17 10
16	8 01	16 47			

Meteorological Office, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

Sunlight is the source of all colors as well as of heat and light.

Tides at Victoria

JANUARY

Date	Time H M	Ht Ft	Time H M	Ht Ft	Time H M	Ht Ft	Time H M	Ht Ft
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5	8 01	5 8	8 51	8 4	11 06	8 6	22 41	1 1
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11	1 48	8 1	8 17	8 8	16 31	4 5	23 02	8 1
12	1 20	8 1	8 43	8 3	17 25	3 4		
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20	7 28	5 7	11 01	7 8	14 30	8 3	23 00	2 2
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24	8 41	4 0	8 37	8 7	14 06	5 2	21 37	8 7
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27			8 42	8 8	18 18	2 4		
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The time used is Pacific standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Esquimalt Drydock at any time add 18.9 feet to the height of high water as above given.

SCOTS' MARRIAGE LAW

Scots law has preserved the rule that the mere interchange of consent (which may be verbal and in some cases implied) is sufficient as a marriage contract. Such marriages, where there is no religious ceremony, are termed irregular but are fully binding in Scotland.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

(From The Daily Colonist of January 9, 1921)

New Factory—A. E. Wilcox, of the American Hat Works, is opening a hat factory on Courtney Street, having leased the entire building adjoining the Orange Hall. The firm is to be known as the Wilcox Hat Company.

FIFTY YEARS AGO

(From The Daily Colonist of January 9, 1896)

The City—The Sons of Erin held their monthly meeting last night and after the usual regular business a most enjoyable musical program was rendered by Messrs. Wallace, Lang, McBrady, Prossor, McDowell and Long.

SEVENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

(From The Daily British Colonist of January 9, 1871)

Will Open Store—William Gibson, an old, well-known and respected resident, will open the Red House Grocery Store on Yates Street between Broad and Government Streets, and will keep on hand a fresh stock of provisions.

Entertain Burns Club

The United Scottish Concert Party, under the direction of Harry Cameron, entertained members of the Victoria Burns Club in the Chamber of Commerce Auditorium last night.

Scottish songs and dances and selections by the Balmoral Girls' Pipe Band highlighted the program. The entertainers included Mrs. M. Goodwin, Miss M. Mitchell, Miss Beverley Hamilton, Miss Ford, Miss D. Archer, W. McFarlane and Arthur Jackman.

One of the first concert parties organized in this area after the outbreak of war in 1939, the United Scottish staged 150 concerts for servicemen on the lower end of the Island.

Aged Pensioners Meet

At a meeting of the Victoria Aged Pensioners' Association in the First Baptist Church Hall yesterday, the following officers were elected: Mrs. S. M. Arnold, president; J. Jones, first vice-president, Mrs. E. Johnson, second vice-president, E. E. Hardisty, secretary, and J. S. Campion, treasurer. Mrs. A. Graham, Mrs. A. Moore, Mrs. M. C. Smedley, A. Laxton and F. Guest were elected to the executive council.

To promote closer co-operation with other similar organizations on the Island, it was decided to invite the president of the Nanaimo association to visit Victoria and address the local group.

Pelicans use teamwork to frighten fish into compact schools where they can be caught easily.

Observation Car

By G.R.

Members of the Vancouver Tourist Association will meet on Thursday to discuss ways and means of avoiding demolition of the old Hotel Vancouver. Demolition of the 500-room building was provided for under terms of an agreement between the C.P.R. and C.N.R. in which the two railways agreed to [illegible] couver. . . . Farmers in the vicinity of Estevan, Sask., are buying airplane fuselages from the War Assets Corporation for $5 each to be converted into chicken houses. . . . Addison wrote: "Nothing is more gratifying to the mind of man than the power of domination." . . . It is those persons who do the least that grumble the most. Earnest workers are left no time for fault finding. . . . Unemployment in Alberta will be aggravated when Edmonton packing plants lay off several hundred workmen because of a slump in hog production. Hog producers claim it is more profitable to sell grain than to feed it to hogs. A subsidy of 20 cents per bushel is allowed on grain fed to hogs. . . . The Regina city council financed construction of a group of temporary one-room shacks for married war veterans. . . . Fish from Newfoundland enter the United States duty free in exchange for airport facilities. If Newfoundland joined Canada as a province, it is not likely that the privilege would be continued. . . . At Halifax a domestic worker sought a position through the National Employment Service. She waded through 163 applications from prospective employers and picked herself a winner.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception. No letter should exceed 300 words in length. Rejected correspondence cannot be returned.

SCOTS AND BUFFS

Sir,—In today's issue I read the write-up on Wallace the mascot of our Canadian Scottish Regiment of Victoria. The author states that The Royal Scots, a bonnie bunch, and good luck to them, is the oldest regiment in the British Empire. That distinction rightfully belongs to The Buffs, the 3rd East Kent Regiment, trained in the City of London, from the trained bands of the city apprentices, more than 370 years ago—A.D. 1572 or 1573, I forget which at this moment.

There is, however, still extant a military unit, I don't think its shown in the Army list, which I believe to be more ancient than my old regiment. It is known to the few as the Honorable Artillery Company. How it came into existance, functioned, and still is, I do not know, but "The Buffs" is the oldest regiment of the line.

BERTRAM DELABERE de WIELE.
3586 Calumet Avenue, Victoria, B.C.,
January 8, 1946.

TEN PER CENT PAYMENT

Ten per cent is sufficient down payment for a veteran using his re-establishment credit to buy furniture, according to recent War Services Grants Act amendments. One-third down payment is still required for purchase of a home. Use of re-establishment credit to buy tools and equipment for a trade, or as working capital in a business, does not call for any down payment.

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Famed St. Bernard Will Live As Guest at Government House

K57000 Pte Wallace, mascot of the Canadian Scottish Regiment, is soon to take up official residence at Government House as the guest of Lieutenant-Governor W. C. Woodward, it was announced yesterday by regimental headquarters.

Although Wallace is a life member of the Scottish and will always re-

Governor has invited the big St. Bernard to be his permanent guest. New quarters are now being made ready for him at Government House, where he will arrive in about a week's time.

It is probable that the regimental mascot will be "piped" to his new home, for His Honor has invited the officers and the pipe band to be present when Wallace moves in.

After a strenuous round of homecoming celebrations, Wallace is at present on leave at the home of Staff-Piper Andrew McGeorge, who took the dog over at the conclusion of the reception ceremonies at the Armoury when the 1st Battalion was dismissed there on January 8. Staff-Piper McGeorge is busy getting Wal-

trip from Aldershot, England, to Victoria. Considering everything, Wallace is in excellent shape and is rapidly recovering all his old tricks.

Regimental headquarters also announced that arrangements are being made to place on exhibition in the Legislative Buildings the portrait of Wallace that was presented to the regiment by H.R.H. The Princess Royal, colonel in chief of The Royal Scots. Eventually the portrait will be hung in the regimental officers' mess at the Armoury.

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Lived Here 50 Years

Mrs. Margaret Bilton, 75, late of 1030 Southgate Street, passed away yesterday at St. Joseph's Hospital. Born in Huron County, Michigan, she had been a resident here for 50 years. She is survived by her widower; one daughter, Lily, at home, a brother, G. B. McKenzie, Vancouver, and a sister, Mrs. M. Colling, in California.

Pastor E. W. Robinson will officiate at funeral services in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Friday at 3.15 p.m. Interment will be at Royal Oak Burial Park.

Renew Discussion On Amalgamation

A meeting of the inter-municipal committee on amalgamation will be called within the next ten days, Alderman B. J. Gadsden chairman, announced yesterday.

He said he would report to the committee on a personal meeting with Premier John Hart before Christmas and on negotiations with H. C. Goldenberg municipal expert, regarding obtaining his services as a commissioner to inquire into the problem of amalgamation.

Mr. Goldenberg stated in a letter received at the City Hall last week that he would be unable to undertake the task until the middle of the Summer, and could not give any estimate of the cost until he had studied the matter more thoroughly.

One of the difficulties holding up negotiations for appointment of a fact-finding commission was the impossibility of obtaining any adequate estimate of the cost, Mr. Gadsden said.

It might be necessary for the municipalities to share the cost of commission, Alderman Gadsden said, and he would ask the committee to consider sharing possible costs on a pro rata basis.

He recalled that two years ago he had recommended a city appropriation of $25,000, later reduced to $12,000, to study amalgamation of services.

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Trade Envoy on Way

C. S. BISSETT

Formerly Canadian Government trade commissioner at Mexico City, who will proceed to Venezuela. He will arrive here next Monday morning.

Good Climate Here Praised

One reason why managers and assistant managers of Massey-Harris Canadian branches chose Victoria as the site of their annual conference is that the warm weather permits ploughing and other types of field test work while other parts of Canada are deep in ice it was stated at the Empress Hotel yesterday by John Martin, Massey-Harris director of public relations.

The four-day conference, which ends on Saturday, is under the chairmanship of Harold McNeil, Toronto. Eighteen managers and assistant managers are attending it.

Massey-Harris recently purchased a former Government arms factory in England and will turn out agricultural machinery there, Mr Martin stated.

In Canada and the United States, the company's reconversion is now complete. During the war the company was manufacturing three types of shells bodies for mechanized equipment, naval gun mountings and wings for Mosquito aircraft. A new $1,500,000 highly mechanized foundry has been completed at Brantford, Ont., and a $2,000,000 combine plant is under construction.

Many farmers sought to lower their production costs by use of machinery, and consequently demand was heavy, Mr Martin stated. Even with increased production it would be some time before the supply was equal to demand.

Stolen Car Hits Police Vehicle

Two boys narrowly escaped death yesterday morning when city and Saanich police combined to capture two stolen cars after a chase through Mount Tolmie district.

Crashing into the police car, the sedan in which the boys were riding rolled over six times and was badly damaged, scattering glass over a distance of 150 yards. The police car was reported only slightly damaged.

A little earlier, Sergeant Eric Elwell and Cpl. Cecil Pearce, Saanich police, picked up a third youth in another stolen car on Finnerty Road. The youth, found sleeping in the car, told police that while he was sleeping two other youths had run away and left him there.

He said the other two boys had picked him up at 11 p.m. Monday and they had been riding around in the car all night. The car was reported stolen from the Empress Hotel Garage on Monday night, after thieves had broken a padlock.

The two youths involved in the crash, aged 20 and 18, respectively, were riding in a car reported stolen from Nanaimo early on Monday afternoon. It was owned by William J. Hunt of that city. Both lads escaped with minor cuts and bruises.

Blue Funnel Ship Nearly Complete

Work on the former Blue Funnel Line Ss Agamemnon, now at the Victoria Machinery Depot Co., Ltd., is expected to be completed by the middle of next month, it was reported yesterday by H. S. Hammill, manager of the shipyard.

Until several months ago, when the contract was suddenly canceled by the British Admiralty, the vessel was being reconverted into an entertainment ship for British seamen in the Pacific.

It had been hoped the local yard would receive a contract to reconvert her into a combined passenger and freight ship.

Last month the V.M.D. was instructed to make her seaworthy. Work is now progressing on her engines, and decks and superstructure are being put into shape. The ship will return to the United Kingdom.

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City and District

Street Improvement—A request that improvements to Asquith Street be included in 1946 estimates was received in a letter addressed to the City Council yesterday from W. M. Galloway, 2643 Asquith Street.

School Entered—T. L. Christie, secretary of the city school board, reported to police yesterday that someone had broken into Central

night. Nothing was stolen.

Hits Log—Ss. Princess Mary was not damaged last week when she struck a large log in Active Pass, it was reported yesterday. A diver conducted a survey soon after the mishap.

Steal Gasoline—City police reported yesterday that thieves had stolen 36 gallons of gasoline after forcing a pump open at a service station at the corner of Lansdowne Road and Shelbourne Street on Monday night. Detective Louis Callon investigated the complaint sent in by James H. Mullard.

Child Dies—Run over by the rear wheel of a city road grader, Dennis Burnip, five, son of Clifford Burnip, was killed at Alberni at 10:45 a.m. yesterday. Provincial Police reported that the grader, driven by A. Gilmour, was backing up while doing road work when the accident occurred. An inquest will be held next Monday morning.

Take Cloth—C. L. Tang, Chinese tailor at 1228 Government Street, reported yesterday that two young men had stolen some brown gabardine cloth valued at $16.50. He described one youth as being dark and wearing a naval raincoat. The other, he said, was also dark and wore a brown coat and air force trousers.

Killed in Woods—Discharged from the army after five and one-half years' service, Paul Brauer, Eburne, went to work last Thursday for the Victoria Lumber & Manufacturing Co., Ltd., at Chemainus, in the woods. He was killed on Monday. Provincial Police have no details of the accident. Brauer was 33. His mother, Mrs. R. Brauer, lives at Middle Lake, Sask.

Boat Burns—The 36-foot cabin

Smith and Howell, Hernon Island, exploded and was destroyed by fire off the south end of Cormorant Island on Tuesday morning, Provincial Police here reported. No lives were lost, but Callum Smith, skipper of the craft, suffered slight burns. The explosion apparently was caused by a short circuit.

Building Permits—Building permits totaling $26,420 have been issued by the city building inspector so far this week. Permits included a four-room house at 1439 Myrtle Avenue, $4,000; a five-room house at 3019 Carroll Street, $5,000, a five-room house at 2601 Avebury Avenue, $4,500, and a five-room house at 932 Wilmer Avenue, $5,920. Other permits went to the Victoria Bed and Mattress Co., Ltd., for a $3,500 workshop at 776 Topaz Avenue, and a store for the Sweet Sixteen Dress Shop at 727 Yates Street, $3,500.

Here 50 Years—H. T. Oldfield, Prospect Lake, recently celebrated the 50th anniversary of his arrival on Vancouver Island from England, and his 50th year of residence at Prospect Lake. The only person bearing the name of Oldfield on the Island 50 years ago, he now has 19 descendants to carry on the name. When Mr. Oldfield first settled at Prospect Lake, horse and buggy was the only means of transportation, and the road to his property, the West Saanich Road, was a bush trail. The Daily Colonist and the mail was delivered weekly to Heal's post office.

Court of Appeal Victoria Sittings

Judgments in the Law Society of British Columbia vs. Gallagher, and Punter vs. Punter were handed down at the opening of the Court of Appeal yesterday morning. Chief Justice Gordon Sloan presided, and the court was fully constituted.

In what was thought to be the first appeal before the court under the Notaries Act, the Law Society of British Columbia successfully appealed from the judgment of Mr. Justice Harper permitting the examination and enrollment of one Gallagher to practice as a notary public at Vancouver. The appellant society contended that there was no public need in that locality as is required by the act, and that the learned judge had no right to take into consideration the fact that another commission was to be surrendered to make way for the new appointment.

The appeal of Rev. Gerald B. Punter from the decision of Mr. Justice Coady dismissing his suit for annulment of his marriage to Margaret Wilson Punter was allowed. The learned trial judge had dismissed the action on the grounds of "approbation" and "lack of sincerity."

THREE CONSOLIDATED APPEALS ADJOURNED

Upon the application of T. L. Norris, K.C., counsel for the appellant, three interlocutory appeals in a divorce suit in Vera Elsie Harriet DeVoin, of Nelson, vs. John Leslie DeVoin, were consolidated and stood over to the next sitting of the court.

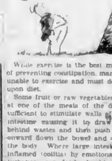
The court reserved judgment in the settling of the terms of judgment in the appeal of the Blue Line from the decision of the Public Utilities Commission awarding the B.C. Electric the franchise for operating buses in Fairfield district. D. M. Gordon, counsel for the B.C. Electric, questioned whether the court should give a formal judgment on matters of law or merely a certificate to the commission. R. D. Harvey, K.C., counsel for the Blue Line spoke to the matter of costs.

The appeal opened in Hunter vs. Lake of the Woods Milling Company with C. W. Tysoe as counsel for the appellant company and D. McK. Brown for the respondent, Hunter. The appeal arises from the decision of Judge Sargent in County Court at Vancouver where the respondent was successful for his claim for damages resulting from an automobile accident.

The next case to be heard will be Crowley Construction Company vs. Wells et al.

Wastes Must Be Removed From Bowel

By Dr. J. B. WARREN



While exercise is the best method of preventing constipation, many are unable to exercise and must depend upon diet.

Some fruit or raw vegetables, just at one of the meals of the day, is sufficient to stimulate walls of large intestine causing it to draw back behind wastes and then push them onward down the bowel and out of the body. Where large intestine is inflamed (colitis) by emotional disturbances, raw foods should not be eaten.

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New Company Formed

Distribution of Chrysler Airtemp heating, air-conditioning and refrigeration equipment on Vancouver Island will be commenced shortly by a company to be known as Victoria Engineering, Ltd. Incorporation papers were recently taken out by E. N. Liersch.

The new company will remodel and occupy premises at the corner of View and Vancouver Streets and will carry a complete line of all types of heating, air-conditioning, marine refrigeration and locker plant equipment, ice boxes and sharp-freeze units. Cement products of Victoria Concrete, Ltd., an associate company of the new concern, will also be handled.

William Wither, Vancouver, has been appointed manager.

Suggests Council Aid Water Users

A more liberal policy for residents in unorganized territory who require water service has been requested by Dr. W. A. Carrothers, chairman of the Public Utilities Commission, in a letter to the city council.

Citing the case of F. O. Waide, Sooke, who had reported that he was required to bear the whole expense of installing an extension of water service to his property, Dr. Carrothers asked the council to adopt a more liberal attitude.

"It was suggested that the city, in line with the general practice of other utility organizations, should make a contribution to the cost of extension on a basis of anticipated revenue," Dr. Carrothers wrote.

"It was our understanding," he continued, "that your council would give immediate attention to the drafting of a more liberal policy. We respectfully ask your council's early attention to this matter in order that Mr. Waide, and, we presume, other potential users outside the city limits, may not be kept waiting for an essential service."

Seek Pay Increases

Pay increases are being sought for the staffs of nine railway-owned hotels including the Empress, it was stated yesterday by Hugh A. Allison, special representative of the Canadian Brotherhood of Railway Employees and other transport workers (C.C.L.).

The proposed agreement, now in the hands of the National War Labor Board, calls for a 9-cent hourly increase for employees paid on an hourly basis, and a $12.48 increase for employees paid by the month.

NOTICE TO MARINERS

Mariners are advised that the white light on Masterman Island is not flashing. This will be attended to as soon as possible.—W. L. Stamford, agent, Department of Transport.

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Cattlemen Confer With Legislators

Cattlemen of British Columbia requested the British Columbia Cabinet yesterday that half of the condemnation deductions made by packers on shipments be diverted to establish a research fund to improve beef cattle in the province.

They also asked that instead of emphasizing bounties on predatory animals, the Provincial Government hire professional hunters to shoot cougars, wolves and coyotes.

Hon. R. L. Maitland, Attorney-General and Acting Premier, said the proposal regarding the cattle research fund had been referred to the Department of Agriculture for consideration, and the professional hunter recommendation went to his own department. He would in turn, he said, ask the Game Commission to study the latter proposal.

The cattlemen, representing the British Columbia Cattle Growers' Association, expressed deep concern over heavy losses from predatory animals.

Members of the delegation, accompanied by R. H. Carson, M.L.A., were Lord Martin Cecil, L. Cameron, Bryan K. Chance and J. E. Fry, secretary of the association.

Thief Gets Three Years Hard Labor

Cyril Denman was sentenced to serve three years in the penitentiary by Magistrate Henry C. Hall in city police court yesterday.

In court on Monday, Denman faced two charges of stealing cash registers and a charge of stealing a light delivery truck. He received three years for each cash register theft, and two years for the automobile theft, sentences to run concurrently.

According to evidence given by Sergeant Thomas Banister, Denman was picked up shortly after the thefts in bushes near Lansdowne Road.

Sergeant Banister testified that Denman stole a light delivery truck from Pandora Avenue on Saturday night, and shortly after used it in stealing two cash registers from stores operated by H. Lee, 1709 Blanshard Street, and Mrs. C. P. Turner, near the Jubilee Hospital.

Eight drivers were fined $2.50 each for parking infractions. One man was fined $5 for disobeying a traffic signal, another paid $5 for neglecting to make a hand signal, and a third was fined $15 for exceeding the speed limit. Two householders each paid $1 and $2.50 in costs for having no radio licence.

Canadian Pacific To State Policy

Within a week an important announcement is expected from head offices of the Canadian Pacific Railway at Montreal, it was learned yesterday.

To be released to all Canadian newspapers at an established time, the announcement will present a policy to be followed by the steamship line for the next several years.

It is expected the release will outline future plans for the line's trans-Pacific service, and the B.C. Coast Steamship Service, of which Capt. O. J. Williams is manager.

It is not known whether or not mention will be made of new shipbuilding programs.

Announcements

Fred B. Griffin, C.A., formerly of the Dominion Income Tax Department, announces he is now practising as a chartered accountant. Office, 410 Jones Building, 723 Fort Street, Victoria, B.C.; phone E 9642. Residence, phone O 1802.

Empress Hotel Ballroom, Friday, January 18, at 8.30, Musical Arts Society presents the William Marionettes in "Alice in Wonderland." Tickets on sale at Fletcher's and Kent-Roach. Adults, $1; children, 50c.

Dr. Thomas P. Watson, physician, formerly of Montreal, wishes to announce that he is now sharing the office of Dr. P. A. Cousland at Suite 8, Campbell Building. For appointments, phone E 6511. Home phone, G 3975.

Dr. W. R. Londen, recently of the Canadian Dental Corps, wishes to announce the opening of his office for the practice of dentistry at the Oaresche Building, 732 Yates Street. Phone O 6412.

Week of Prayer Service—Church of Our Lord, corner Blanshard and Humboldt, Wednesday at 8 p.m. Rev. William Allan will speak. All are welcome.

Miss D. Moore's Musical Kindergarten for children aged 3 to 5 will reopen Wednesday, January 9, at 1465 Fort Street. A few vacancies. Please telephone E 1642 for appointment.

Dr. Geo. W. Fletcher will continue to practise eye, ear, nose and throat at 303-5 Campbell Building until February 1, 1946. Appointments may be made in the usual way.

Charming new cover design (Vancouver Island lily) makes "Island Trails" ideal gift. Ready for mailing. 75c at book and department stores.

Final clearance of hats at La Mode [illegible] 713 Yates Street. One group at $1.50, another at 98 cents. Variety of head sizes and colors.

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Mayor Calls Central Junior High School Here Fire Trap

Describing the present Central Junior High School as a "fire trap and for that matter a death trap," Mayor Percy E. George emphasized the urgent need of a new junior high school and improvements and additions to other school buildings in the city, in an address before Ki-

yesterday.

The school problem was one of a dozen major issues facing the 1946 city council, the Mayor said, in outlining a public works programme which, in his opinion, was essential to the well-being of the city.

Included in the Mayor's list of projects which should be undertaken with the least possible delay were a new city hall, police headquarters and public library, unified transportation system, a civic airport adjacent to the city, a memorial ice arena and a programme of improvements to roads, parks and waterworks.

Although the population of Victoria has increased approximately 40 per cent, Mayor George stated

services. The demand was there, the manpower was available and funds would have to be provided, he said. He hoped the year 1946 could be looked back upon as an historical year, one in which the citizens themselves, not the Government, would "win the peace" in a way that would be a credit to Victorians.

J. Denis Hagar, president of the club, thanked the speaker.

Railway Experts Meet Here Again

Experts studying extension of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway and development of the Peace River district resumed their sessions here yesterday.

O. H. N. Monkman, deputy minister of public works for Alberta, joined the committee, extending the study to include the whole of the Peace River. Previously only British Columbia territory was under consideration.

J. Stewart, deputy minister of railways for the Provincial Government, is committee chairman. Other members, besides Mr. Monkman, are: C. R. Crysdale, consulting engineer, Provincial Government; Russell Yuill, National Harbors Board, and S. W. Fairweather, vice-president in charge of research and development for the C.N.R., Dominion Government. T. C. McNabb, general superintendent at Saint John, N.B., and H. C. Taylor, general superintendent at Moose Jaw, Sask., C.P.R.

Rescue Fishermen On Sinking Boat

Two fishermen were saved from drowning in the Gulf of Georgia on Monday by a vessel which had left William Head quarantine station at 9 a.m. that day.

The men were Frank and Sam Olander, both fishermen from Steveston, and the ship was the 10,000-ton freighter Ss. Richmond Park. Heavy seas caused the small vessel of the Olander brothers to flounder helplessly in the gulf.

The men were picked up four miles out of Vancouver. Their boat was awash and going under when help came. The freighter was forced to manoeuvre for nearly an hour before rescuing the fishermen.

Ss. Richmond Park brought a number of Canadian Army officers home from Britain.

To Gather Equipment

The R.C.A.F. vessel Squamish, commanded by F.O. W. R. Booth, left Victoria harbor yesterday to pick up equipment from various R.C.A.F. stations on the West Coast. Equipment has already been taken from stations of the Queen Charlotte Islands.

Powered with a 400-horsepower Diesel engine, and 95 feet long, the Squamish was one of several vessels which towed the burning Ss. Greenhill Park out into Burrard Inlet after an explosion on board the freighter at the C.P.R. dock in Vancouver last March.

The Squamish was built in 1944 by the Victoria Motor Boat & Repair Works, Ltd.

Grou to Destroy Dangerous Mine

Carrying a mine-disposal party commanded by Lt. A. Slater, the frigate H.M.C.S. Grou left Esquimalt on Monday afternoon for the Queen Charlottes to dispose of a mine that came ashore on the west coast of Graham Island.

Discovery of the mine on the beach was reported to Provincial Police here and they in turn notified the navy, which undertook to dispose of it.

Canisters containing hand grenades, rubber life rafts and other materials of war have been washed ashore on the West Coast of Vancouver Island and Provincial Police recently issued a warning to the public to advise them of any discovery of that nature. Police emphasized that considerable danger might be encountered by inexperienced persons handling war materials.

ASTRONOMICAL SOCIETY

"Great Astronomers" will be the subject for discussion tonight at a meeting of Victoria Centre, Royal Astronomical Society of Canada, in Victoria College at 8 p.m. Speakers will be Mrs. J. R. Noble and Robert Peters. The meeting will be open to the public.

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Social and Personal

Major and Mrs. Gordon Lacey, of Vancouver, are staying at the Empress Hotel for the next few days.

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Miss Bunty McKay has returned to Vancouver to resume her studies at U.B.C. after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. An-

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Miss Pamela Butcher returned Sunday to Vancouver to resume her studies at U.B.C. after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Butcher, Wilkinson Road.

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Mr. W. Parsons has returned to Vancouver after spending the holidays at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Parsons, Delmar Avenue.

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Miss Jeannette Paterson returned Monday night to her studies at the Convent of the Sacred Heart, Point Grey, after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon B. Paterson, Orchard Avenue.

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Miss Maureen Rogers, who was with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Rogers, Island Road, during the Christmas vacation, left on Sunday to resume her studies at the Convent of the Sacred Heart, Point Grey.

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University of Alberta alumni enjoyed a social evening last night at the clubrooms Union Building. With Miss Helen Gibson at the piano, members joined in a sing-song and later Miss Betty Lawson and her committee served refreshments.

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Among the numerous festivities held on Salt Spring recently was an enjoyable "no host" party at "Barnsbury," the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Wilson. More than 100 persons were present, and dancing was enjoyed.

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After spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Max Calthrop, Sanctuary Wood, Ganges, Miss Susan Calthrop has returned to Victoria, where she will resume her studies at Victoria College. She will be a guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. Doughty-Davies, 2040 Granite Street, Oak Bay.

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Mrs. Robert Gillespie, with her two sons, Lieut. W. L. "Bill" Gillespie, U.S.N., and Mr. D. Bruce Gillespie, has returned to her home in Seattle after a short visit in the city. They were guests at the Empress Hotel. Lieutenant Gillespie has lately returned home from more than two years' continuous service in the South Pacific aboard the United States destroyer McDermot. He and his brother, formerly a radio-gunner with the U.S.A.A.F., are graduates of the University School, Mount Tolmie.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. Scaplen, 1040 Sutlej Street, were "at home" on Sunday afternoon when about 50 friends called to extend congratulations on the occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary. Refreshments were served from a table covered with a cutwork and lace cloth, with golden tapers in silver holders and four tiny crystal vases of golden flowers. A wedding cake formed the centrepiece. Presiding at the tea and coffee urns were Mrs. F. B. Nation, of Toronto, and Mrs. T. F. Huzzey, and assisting in serving were Miss Phyllis Larssen and Miss Geraldine Miles, granddaughters of the host and hostess, and Mrs. James Scaplen.

WHITE ELEPHANT PARTY

The Solarium Junior League held a white elephant party Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Ian McCallum. Mrs. Iris Brown auctioned the gaily-wrapped gifts and the sum of $15.50 was realized. Miss Kathy Mollay reported for the pantomime committee and Mrs. Howard Damaske reported on the successful Snowball Frolic. Standing committees for the next three months were named as follows: Margaret McClung, membership convener; Mary Smith, penny box convener, and Mrs. McCallum, buying convener.

Returns Home After Two Years Overseas

L.A.W. HELEN WOODCROFT, R.C.A.F.

Who returned home Tuesday after spending the past two years with the R.C.A.F. (W.D.) in England. L.A.W. Woodcroft, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Woodcroft, 2426 Windsor Road, was mentioned in dispatches in the King's Birthday honor list, and will receive her discharge in the near future. Her brother, Electrical Sub-Lieut. John Woodcroft, R.C.N.V.R., returned home on leave recently from Shelbourne, N.S.

British Brides Here Friday

VANCOUVER, Jan. 8 (CP).—The first three British war brides of British Columbia servicemen to fly the Atlantic at their own expense, paying the difference over what the Canadian Government would pay to bring them to Canada by sea and rail, are crossing the Dominion due to arrive here Thursday.

One is destined for Vancouver and two for Victoria.

On hand to greet his bride Eileen will be John A. Clarke of Vancouver, and formerly a lieutenant in the Artillery.

The Victoria brides in the group are Mrs. G. S. Foubister and Mrs. Winifred Petersen.

They will be welcomed here by the Red Cross in addition to their husbands and relatives.

Weddings

BOOTH—NIGHTINGALE

A pretty wedding was solemnized on Christmas Eve at the home of the officiating clergyman, Rev. J. C. Jackson, when Elsie Florence, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Nightingale, Vancouver, exchanged marriage vows with Mr. James Booth, son of Mrs. Gerow, Victoria. The bride wore a short white Winter wool dress, dusty pink ostrich tip hat and gloves to match. Her corsage was of dusty pink roses. Mrs. Sam Bell, wearing a powder blue dress, brown accessories and corsage of carnations, attended the bride. Mr. Sam Bell supported the groom. A reception was held after the ceremony at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bell. For a honeymoon at Vancouver, the bride donned a black caracul coat over her wedding ensemble. Mr. and Mrs. Booth are now residing at 522 Fraser Street.

L.A. TO Y.M.C.A.

L.A. to Y.M.C.A. met Tuesday afternoon at the home of the president, Mrs. Walter Walker. 27 members attending. Conveners' reports were given, and a new membership committee was formed, with Mrs. F. Paulding as leader. Annual linen shower will be held February 12 in the Y.M. lounge. Mrs. D. McAdie and Mrs. A. Victor Clarke will convene. Next meeting will be held in the ladies' lounge, Tuesday, February 5.

Spinsters' Ball To Be Held Feb. 1

St. Joseph's Junior Auxiliary met Monday in the Doctors' Room of the hospital. Miss Patricia Walsh presiding. Sr. M. Beatrice was welcomed back.

Plans were completed for the Spinsters' Ball to be held at the Empress Hotel, February 1. Mrs. Bernadette O'Connor and Miss Patricia Walsh are co-convening the affair and Miss Virginia Ryan is in charge of the chorus. An Easter fete to be held on Easter Saturday under the convenership of Mrs. Pete LaCroix was discussed.

Plans were also made for the garden party to be held in June. Tea was served by Sister M. Beatrice.

Women's Institutes

Conveners were appointed and work planned for the year when Lake Hill Women's Institute met on Monday with Mrs. G. W. Massey presiding. Mrs. Arrell, of Portage la Prairie W.I., was a visitor and spoke of work in her institute. Letters of thanks for Christmas cheer and first aid supplies to the Solarium were read. Tea was served by Mrs. McGregor and Mrs. Holyoke. Mrs. Findlay reviewed times for the scrap book and Mrs. Service was named to convene a program at the February meeting to commemorate Adelaide Hoodless Day. Handicraft classes will be resumed on Thursday.

King's Daughters' Officers Re-elected

All officers of the Victoria District King's Daughters were returned by acclamation at the annual meeting Monday evening at headquarters, as follows: President, Mrs. T. D. Roberts; vice-president, Mrs. Charles Edwards; secretary, Mrs. William Bremner; treasurer, Mrs. Peter Sharp; rooms treasurer, Mrs. M. A. Osterhout; provincial executive, Mrs. A. M. Perry and Mrs. C. F. Lawrence.

Mrs. Roberts reported eight new members have joined the district. The sum of $815.44 was raised during the year and disbursements amounted to $683.12. Mrs. Osterhout gave a comprehensive report of the work of the lunchroom which is a district undertaking with members of the different circles helping. The lunchroom was open 301 days during the year and was used by 20,619 business girls.

Annual report of the circles showed the following societies have been helped: Red Cross, T.B. Veterans, Solarium Junior League, Mount St. Mary, Old-Age Pensioners, Navy League, Salvation Army, Royal Jubilee Hospital and the B.C. Protestant Orphanage.

One circle made and sent toys to orphanages in the British Isles.

Major Scott Guest Speaker

Women's Canadian Club will have as their guest speaker, Major H. G. Scott, next Monday, January 14, at 2.30 p.m. in the lower lounge of the Empress Hotel. Major Scott is well known in Canadian Club circles. He spoke to the club last year on the liberation of Paris, having been in the procession led by General De Gaulle. In the Summer of 1945 ... also visited Holland, Austria and other formerly occupied countries. His subject this year is "Germany in D[illegible]eal."

Salt Spring News

AFTER-FIVE PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Lockwood were hosts recently at an after-five party at their home, "Hillside," Ganges. The hosts were assisted during the evening by their daughter, Dolores. Guests were Mrs. D. K. Crofton, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dillabough, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Eaton, Mrs. A. J. Hastings, Mrs. Warren Hastings, Mrs. J. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Morris, Mrs. F. Penrose, Mr. and Mrs. R. Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scott, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Sykes, Mrs. A. J. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Graham Shove, Mr. and Mrs. Bishop Wilson, Misses Marjorie Hastings, Betty Kingsbury, Denise and Dulcie Crofton, June Mitchell, Doll McDermott, M. I. Scott, Dorothy Sykes, Shirley Wilson, Mr. Pat Crofton, Mr. D. S. Harris and Capt. W. G. Stone.

SUNDAY SCHOOL PARTY

Mrs. V. C. Best, Mrs. A. Malcolm Smith and Miss Theresa Rogers were hostesses recently at an enjoyable party given at the home of Mrs. Best, "The Alders," Ganges, for the children of St. George's Sunday School. The afternoon was spent in games, and teachers were assisted by Ven. G. H. Holmes, Mrs. K. Butterfield, Miss Beverley Rogers and Mr. Alan Best in entertaining the 35 children present.

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY

Women's Auxiliary to the Ganges United Church met recently at Ganges Inn, with Mrs. J. D. Reid presiding and taking the devotional period. Treasurer's report showed a balance of $41.82. Arrangements were made for the annual church supper to be held at Ganges Inn on Wednesday, January 23. Rev. J. Dewar took the chair for the annual meeting which resulted as follows: Honorary president, Miss M. Manson; president, Mrs. J. D. Reid; vice-president, Mrs. W. M. Mouat; secretary, Mrs. E. Parsons; treasurer, Mrs. H. Nobbs; Dorcas secretary, Mrs. T. Fowler, assisted by Mrs. Colin Mouat; flower convener, Mrs. J. Dewar. The financial report was read and the secretary gave an account of the work accomplished by the auxiliary during the year, stating that over $400 had been raised and devoted to various forms of church work.

I.O.D.E.

Ganges Chapter, I.O.D.E., met recently at Ganges Inn, with the regent, Mrs. V. C. Best, in the chair. Children's fancy dress party will be held on Saturday afternoon, February 16, in the Mahon Hall. It was announced that 16 Christmas hampers had been sent off at the cost of about $38. Treasurer reported $182.70 in general fund, $75.62 in war work fund, and the meeting authorized the payment of outstanding accounts amounting to more than $50. Educational secretary read a letter received from the adopted school at Clearwater, asking for library books relating to handicrafts. The chapter voted $25 for this purpose. Ex-service personnel convener stated that 56 greeting cards had been sent to ex-servicemen, and one letter written. War work convener reported 25 articles shipped during the month to the Provincial Chapter. A donation of $25 was voted to Polish relief fund, and $25 to British and European relief funds. Several members, led by Mrs. Bishop Wilson, volunteered to prepare and card raw wool in readiness for spinning and making into Indian sweaters for seamen. Miss Paulette Chantelu was unanimously elected an honorary member of the chapter.

Tomorrow We Wear

Mode of tomorrow dictates we shall wear:

A new sharp blue between a turquoise and blue green in new dresses and suits and for color accent.

Straw embroidery, straw buds and straw flowers on Spring hats.

Bolero jackets worn backwards so that they are smooth in front, and button up the back—for the style courageous.

Suits with the lighter look that is of such fashion importance for Spring: soft greys from dove to pearl tones, beige and light spicy browns.

Black faille in smart two-piece dresses, the short jackets trimmed with jet buttons. Some are made with wide reveres.

Short evening dresses at midcalf length and very charming in full-skirted, lacey models.

Bold plaid gingham jackets over shoulderless, halter top or bare midriff dresses, the skirt being of the dark crepe and the tops of plaid to match the jackets.

"Butterfly shades" that include browns, greens, blues, reds and beige tones in new light-weight woolens for Spring.

My Neighbor Says:

As soon as eggs come from the store remove them from paper cartons and place in a wire container in the refrigerator. Eggs need air circulation to help keep them fresh. Cartons prevent this.

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Admiral Halsey Best Man at Myrna Loy's Wedding

Myrna Loy, scintillating star of the screen, was married to Commodore Gene Markey in Los Angeles, Calif. Admiral William F. (Bull) Halsey served as best man. The wedding group is pictured shortly after the ceremony which was performed in the chapel of the naval operating base at Terminal Island. Left to right, Admiral Halsey; Mrs. Collier Young, matron of honor; Myrna Loy and Commodore Gene Markey. During the war Markey served as Admiral Halsey's assistant intelligence officer. This is the third marriage for both the bride and the groom.

Miss Dorothy Somerset Given Rockefeller Scholarship

Miss Dorothy Somerset, well-known director of the University Summer School of the Theatre and Extension Department drama program, has been awarded a traveling fellowship by the Rockefeller Foundation, it was announced today by Dr. N. A. M. MacKenzie, president of the University of British Columbia.

The three months fellowship will enable Miss Somerset to travel to leading American universities to study curriculum and procedure in various departments of drama.

She will visit Cornell, Iowa and Cleveland Universities. This comparative study will ensure that the recently-established U.B.C. course is on a sound university basis.

Miss Somerset, who has been a leader in the theatrical activities of the city and province for many years, is a graduate of Radcliffe College, Cambridge.

Before returning to Canada she studied and worked in the theatre in England, and later spent some time with the Pasadena Community Playhouse in California.

For several years she was a director of successful Little Theatre and U.B.C. Players' Club productions. In 1933, a scene from Shaw's "Back to Methuselah," which she directed for the Little Theatre won top standing in the first Dominion Drama Festival.

In 1938 Miss Somerset was appointed to the staff of the Extension Department of the university in charge of the drama program, and became known throughout the province as adviser to local amateur societies. She is also known as a radio speaker.

This year she was elected vice-president of the Western Canada Theatre Conference.

Miss Somerset will leave early this week for the East.

P.-T. Associations

Esquimalt P.-T.A. will meet next Tuesday. Dr. Henrietta Anderson will give an address on "Is There Anything Wrong With Youth?" and Mr. Charles Breadnell and Miss Daphne Archer will give solos. New members welcome.

Parent-Teacher radio program on Wednesday at 5 p.m. over CJVI will be "How P.-T.A.'s Have Contributed to the Community." Those taking part will be Mrs. H. G. Ashworth, Esquimalt P.-T.A.; Mrs. R. H. Flint, Tolmie P.-T.A.; Mr. P. Noel, Willows P.-T.A., and Mr. T. S. Floyd, Esquimalt P.-T.A. Mr. Walter Kitley will be the announcer.

Claire Gagnier to Be Guest Soloist

TORONTO, Jan. 8.—One of Canada's most promising young singers, Claire Gagnier, coloratura soprano, of Montreal, returns to "The Northern Electric Hour" as guest star on January 14. Miss Gagnier appeared on the opening broadcast and was enthusiastically received. She will sing Chopin and Strauss.

In addition to Miss Gagnier's numbers the 40-piece concert orchestra directed by Paul Scherman, will be heard in the overture to "Die Fledermaus" by Johann Strauss, a medley of Cole Porter favorites, specially arranged for this program by Godfrey Ridout, and David Ouimet's descriptive Harmonica Player.

MAKE PLANS FOR PLAY

Members of the Young Progressive Conservative Club met last Sunday night at the home of R. Green, vice-president. Plans were made for a play to be presented next month.

Denies All Charges

VANCOUVER, Jan. 8 (CP).—Armand Joseph Larocque, 33-year-old army veteran, who faces charges of obtaining a total of $1,188 and a radio from four women on promise of marriage, today denied almost every charge in police court here when he took the stand on a charge of obtaining $500 from Stella Charlton.

Larocque was arrested in St. Boniface, Man., and returned here on three warrants charging him with obtaining money by false pretences. He was remanded until Thursday.

Polish Orphans Number 1,500,000

NEW YORK, Jan. 8 (CP).—More than a million and a half Polish children were orphaned during the German occupation of Poland according to the Polish Press Agency.

The tuberculosis rate among Polish children, the agency said, is more than 80 per cent, or more than double the prewar rate of 35-40 per cent.

In almost totally destroyed Warsaw, there are 70,000 children among the present population of 450,978 living in the ruins and lacking medical and nursery care. The average weight of Warsaw's babies today is 30 per cent below normal.

During the occupation all milk, butter and fruit were prohibited to Polish children, and, in an effort to destroy Polish culture, the Germans closed all Polish schools, museums, libraries and cultural institutes and killed more than 40 per cent of the primary school teachers.

Kipling's Birthday

The birthday of Rudyard Kipling was marked by Victoria Kipling Society during a dinner at the Kit Kat Cafe last night. The toast to the immortal memory of Kipling was proposed in verse by K. C. Bymons. A. E. O. Cornwell presided. Entertainers included:

Mrs. D. H. White, Mrs. M. Barclay, James McGrath and Mr. Cornwell, readings; Mr. McGrath and Mrs. C. Badger, songs. Toast to the visitors was proposed by Col. H. T. Goodland, and Philip Oliver responded. James Morton, Jr., thanked the entertainers.

Little Stories for Bedtime

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

PETER RABBIT TRIES OUT HIS IDEA

Peter Rabbit Laughed Softly

Old Granny Fox and Reddy Fox were down on the Green Meadows hunting for some of the Fieldmice children. But the Fieldmice children had been warned by the Merry Little Breezes and had wisely hidden, so that not one was to be found. Suddenly Reddy nudged Granny Fox.

"There's Peter Rabbit," he whispered. "He's a long way from the old brier patch."

Granny Fox looked and then she grinned. She could think of nothing that would taste so good as tender young rabbit. And Granny Fox had not forgotten how Peter Rabbit had fooled her once when she had tried to catch him. Now he seemed to be so busy over in the sweet-clover patch that she felt sure he had not seen her or Reddy. Just then Peter in the most unconcerned way began to hop in their direction. Granny Fox pulled Reddy down beside her, and they both lay as flat as possible in the meadow grass. Presently Peter stopped and turned his back to them.

"Reddy, you crawl around until you are between him and the old brier patch and then we'll surely catch him," whispered Granny Fox.

So Reddy Fox crawled through the long meadow grass until he was between Peter Rabbit and the old brier patch. Then very cautiously Granny Fox began to steal up behind Peter Rabbit.

Now all this time Peter was just pretending. He had seen Reddy Fox creep off and knew just exactly where he was hiding. Although his back was to Granny Fox he was watching her all the time, for you know Peter can see behind him without turning his head. When Granny Fox had gotten as near as Peter thought was safe he started to run. But instead of starting for the old brier patch as Granny Fox had expected he would as Reddy Fox had hoped he would, he started in the opposite direction. He was running straight back to the sweet-clover patch.

Now Peter had been so often to the sweet-clover patch that he had worn little paths to it and it was along one of these that he was running. But Peter was very careful where he stepped, for he was watching out for the sharp little spears of Prickly Porky which he had scattered there.

But Granny Fox knew nothing about Peter Rabbit's idea or Prickly Porky's sharp little spears, and she came flying along the little path as fast as she could run and that is very fast indeed. She was almost within reach of Peter when she felt a sharp pain in one foot. It hurt so that she fell and rolled over and over. Then she sat up and looked at her foot. It was one of Prickly Porky's little spears! Reddy Fox came up and pulled it out for her. Just a little way off in the middle of the sweet-clover patch sat Peter Rabbit watching them and grinning. Reddy ground his teeth and started up the little path. Then he stopped abruptly, he had found more of Prickly Porky's little spears.

Reddy went back to Granny Fox. "I believe that Prickly Porky is up there in the sweet-clover patch with Peter Rabbit, let's go home Granny," said he.

And while Granny Fox limped off with Reddy close at her heels Peter Rabbit sat in the sweet-clover patch and laughed softly. And up on the hill sat Johnny Chuck watching and he was laughing too.

Next Story: "Peter Rabbit's Big Cousin."

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Fashion Hails Hoop Skirts

By DOROTHY ROE

NEW YORK, Jan. 8 (AP).—Women are going feminine with a bang after the severe silhouette of the war years. Real hoop skirts are in the fashion line-up for Spring, 1946, along with padded hips, sloping shoulders, accentuated bustlings and corsets worn in bathing suits.

After every war there is a change in the fashionable silhouette. The changes in store as the aftermath of World War II are predicted by lead- [illegible]

Omar Kiam—Women are relaxing mentally after the tense war years. . . . It will be a dressy year. . . Clothes will be designed to sit and look pretty in.

Adele Simpson—An era of vanity is beginning . . . The fashion accent will be on bosoms, in drapery and revealing cut.

Nettie Rosenstein—Accentuate the bosom, minimize the waistline.

Samuel Kass—Very full skirts and exaggerated fullness throughout.

Valentina—We are entering the most honest period of fashion since Greek times. A woman's clothes will tell the truth about her figure with the result that if it is too bad she will do something about it.

Sophie—Soft, fragile draperies . . . laces and chiffons.

Fira Benenson—Women who love sweets will get a break this year. . . The hips and torso can look round, but the waist must be tinier than ever.

Lilly Dache—Heads will look romantic and in the clouds in pretty colored high-riding hats. All will be off-the-face and jutting forward.

Emily Wilkens—The debutante of 1946 will look like her great-grandmother with a bustle and a hand-span waistline.

Jo Copeland—With men back to stay, women have begun to turn on the charm.

Adrian—Don't look like a belted barrel in your suit!

Societies

Ladies' Auxiliary of St. Joseph's Hospital will meet at the hospital Friday afternoon.

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Women of the Moose, Victoria Chapter No. 25, will meet in the K of P. Hall Monday at 8 p.m.

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Presbyterial executive of the Presbyterian W.M.S. will meet Friday at 2.30 p.m. in St. Andrew's lecture room.

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The children of France Society will resume work meetings Thursday at 2.30 p.m. in 301 Union Building, when members of the Duncan Branch will be guests.

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Pro Patria W.A., Canadian Legion, will hold a social meeting January 11 at 8 p.m. in the Hard of Hearing Hall. There will be contests, games and refreshments.

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Wilkinson Road W.M.S. met recently at the home of Mrs. D. Caudel, West Saanich Road. Mrs. G. Partridge reported that $250 had been raised. Officers for the ensuing year are: President, Mrs. E. Boorman, vice-president, Mrs. A. Allison, treasurer, Mrs. G. Williamson, secretary, Mrs. R. Knight. Mrs. S. Jones gave a talk on "Christian Stewardship," and Mrs. E. Boorman spoke on "Temperance." An inspiring New Year's address was given by Rev. J. Currie Thomson. Mrs. R. Knight and Mrs. O. Williamson were appointed as delegates to the forthcoming Presbyterial.

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Meeting of Women's Benefit Association was held in the B.O.E. Hall Monday, with Mrs. M. Stephan presiding. Mrs. Caroline O'Brien, provincial field director, conducted installation ceremonies of new officers: President, Miss K. Brown; vice-president, Mrs. A. Malcolm; past president, Mrs. M. Stephen; financial secretary, Mrs. B. McAllister; treasurer, Mrs. A. Ritchie; recording secretary, Mrs. W. Henson; also Mrs. F. Baillies, Mrs. B. Keefe, Mrs. M. Smith, Mrs. J. White, Mrs. M. Thompson, Mrs. A. Barraclough, Mrs. M. Trousdale, Mrs. S. Cameron, Mrs. H. Jackson and Mrs. B. Davis. Mrs. O'Brien presented Mrs. Stephen with the past president's pin and a pottery vase, and Miss Brown presented Mrs. O'Brien with a small gift of china. Refreshments were served. Ways and means committee will meet at the home of the president, Miss K. Brown, 818 Kings Road, Friday evening. Pioneer meeting will be held Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. Brown, 120 Medina Street.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Wells, 1817 Belmont Avenue, were hosts to 35 members of the Newfoundland Club on Monday evening on the occasion of their 20th wedding anniversary. An enjoyable evening was spent in playing court whist and a supper was served. Guest speaker was Hon. Capt. U. Laite, who told of his experiences in Hongkong, where he was a prisoner of war for three years. The speaker gave a resume of a day's routine and some of the experiences with the men. Next meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Cox, 1910 Brighton Avenue, on February 4.

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Princess Alexandra Lodge, No. 18, Daughters of England, met for installation of officers recently when Mrs. E. Oliver, worthy district deputy, conducted the ceremonies. Mrs. F. Jacklin was installed as president; Mrs. M. Cruikshank, vice-president; Mrs. E. Swan, secretary; Mrs. G. M. Baker, treasurer; Mrs. M. Fieldhouse, recording secretary. Other officers installed were Mrs. H. Baker, Mrs. M. Dwyer, Mrs. A. Gorton, Mrs. N. Smith, Mrs. M. de la Haye, Mrs. A. Bell, Mrs. E. Elsmore, Mrs. G. Gosnell, Mrs. E. Smith and Mrs. F. Smith. Dr. A. D. Bechtel is lodge physician and Mrs. L. Warr past president. Annual banquet will be held at Terry's on February 5 and members planning to attend should telephone Mrs. E. Swan or Mrs. M. Fieldhouse.

Hostess at No. 10

Mrs. Violet Helen Attlee, wife of Clement Attlee, Britain's Prime Minister, is pictured at No. 10 Downing Street during a recent party given for the mayoresses of 55 London boroughs. Mrs. Attlee, daughter of the late H. E. Millar, of Hampstead, London, married the Prime Minister in 1922. They have one son and three daughters.

News of the Forces

Servicemen and Veterans

Stresses Aid to Veterans

Communities to which veterans return bear the final responsibility for supplying jobs and houses, Maj.-Gen. E. L. M. Burns, O.B.E., D.S.O., M.C., director-general of rehabilitation for the Department of Veterans' Affairs, said here yesterday.

Accompanied by Brig. W. J. H. [illegible] couver, Maj.-Gen. Burns is paying Victoria his first visit since he received his present appointment for the purpose of inspecting the department branch here.

Agreeing there were instances where vocational payments had been delayed, he said that this was being overcome by plans to have each vocational training counsellor responsible for the cases he handled from the beginning through to payment of allowances. He stated that veterans should promptly report to the department any cases of delayed benefit payments.

One cause of delay in payments [illegible] veterans coming to the department for benefits immediately after discharge and before their documents had been received from the services.

Seconded to his present position from the Canadian Army, Maj.-Gen. Burns was in command of the 1st Canadian Corps when hostilities ceased.

Expected Home Soon

PTE. WILLIAM HOLE

A former Daily Colonist carrier, and only son of Mrs. E. Hole, 1238 Johnson Street, who is expected to arrive home tomorrow.

A veteran of three years' overseas service, Pte. Hole prior to enlisting was a civilian employee at H.M.C. Dockyard.

Victoria-born, he enlisted in May, 1942, and served in England with the R.C.O.C. He is a graduate of Victoria High School.

His father served with the 47th Battalion in France during the Great War and died of wounds overseas.

Pte. Hole is expecting to receive his discharge shortly after returning to the city.

On Richmond Park

Two Victoria men and two others from Vancouver Island homes were among the 18 Canadian Army officers who arrived at Vancouver last night aboard Ss. Richmond Park, direct from England via the Panama Canal.

Victorians on the ship were Major J. D. Baird, D.S.O., whose wife and two children live at 2930 Qu'Appelle Street, and Col. W. A. Fraser, O.B.E., E.D., well-known physician, whose wife and two children reside at 3715 Tarn Place.

Major Baird had a notable record overseas. On "D" Day he gave orders for the first rounds to be fired by his unit, the 13th Canadian Field Regiment, and on May 5, 1945, he gave the regiment cease fire orders in Germany.

Colonel Fraser is formerly commanding officer of No. 12 Canadian General Hospital, Bruges, Belgium, and has seen three and a half years' service overseas.

Other Islanders on the ship were Capt. Herbert Barclay, Campbell River, and Capt. D. M. Wilmott, Courtenay.

Coming Home

P.O. Clayton Grant, R.C.A.F., son of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Grant, Highland Park, Langford, and grandson of Maj. F. Richardson, O.B.E., is expected to arrive here shortly from England.

A member of the R.C.A.F. Transport Command, F.O. Grant for nearly two years ferried planes across the Atlantic over the famous "Cannonball" route between Nassau and India via Ascension Island and Africa.

Early in 1945 he was posted to England, flying from Montreal to Scotland over the North Atlantic.

For a year he flew regular passenger runs between England and India. Once, when his aircraft caught fire, he was successful in making a forced landing in France, his crew and passengers escaping injury.

F.O. Grant intends to enter the University of British Columbia upon his return home.

Three Brothers United

Three Victoria brothers were reunited on Monday with the return to the city of Captain W. H. "Wilf" Lund, son of Mrs. A. H. Lund, 1543 Elford Street.

He and his two brothers, Captain Roy Lund, recently discharged from the army after six years' service, and Sub-Lieutenant John Lund, now stationed at Esquimalt with the R.C.N.V.R., are sons of the late Major A. H. Lund, former paymaster of Pacific Command.

Wilfred, who arrived by plane after six years' overseas service, was one of the first two paymasters to land in Normandy 10 minutes behind the assault troops on "D" Day.

He enlisted in the Royal Canadian Army Pay Corps as a private on September 1, 1939, and went overseas in 1940.

Roy, who also joined as a private, enlisted six years ago in the Canadian Scottish Regiment, and served overseas for two years. He later transferred to the Essex Scottish. Returning to Canada, he served as a staff officer with the C.A.P.F., which was scheduled to go to the Pacific theatre just before Japan surrendered.

John, who joined the navy in 1943, returned to Victoria from Halifax by way of the Panama Canal, aboard H.M.C.S. Winnipeg, arriving at Esquimalt just before Christmas. He was engaged in convoy and sub-chasing duty in the North Atlantic. He was promoted from the ranks, having joined the R.C.N.V.R. as a seaman.

ALBERTA ASSOCIATION

Members of the 31st Alberta Battalion Association will meet in the home of A. Carter, 842 Selkirk Avenue, at 8 p.m. Friday. Capt. R. Fraser Perrie, who spent four years overseas, will speak.

RETURNS FROM OVERSEAS

Capt. C. B. Newman, Canadian Provost Company, returned to Canada on the Queen Elizabeth and reached home last Thursday after spending four and one-half years overseas. Capt. and Mrs. Newman live on Roy Road, Colquitz.

Grounded in Italy

It may be fun to go sightseeing in Italy, but when it is accompanied by no change of clothing for three weeks and little money it is not so good.

Flt. Lt. Frank Holmes, of Victoria, was among 18 crews of the R.C.A.F. Bison and Lion Squadrons which were grounded in Italy while transporting troops between that country and England.

The men spent their time looking over the sights at Pompeii and Salerno, and when weather was good they flew around Mount Vesuvius.

[illegible] have lungs as well as gills.

Final plans were made for the card party to be held on January 17 at the O.E.S. Hall, Redfern Street, when the C.W.L. and Altar Society of Our Lady of Lourdes Church met at the home of Mrs. H. Chambers, 737 Linkleas Avenue. Rev. Father J. R. Buckley was present and Mrs. P. White presided. The secretary, Mrs. T. C. Rogers, was absent because of illness. A Valentine tea to be held at the home of Mrs. A. J. Robert, The Uplands, was discussed.

LONDON (CP).—Tottenham registry office marries approximately 25 couples a day. Walter Grimaldi, superintendent registrar, claims to have married 30,000 couples in 32 years.

According to Culbertson

The planning and timing of the play in today's deal had to be meticulously accurate.

East, dealer.
North-South vulnerable

NORTH
♠ A 8 7
♥ K Q J
♦ K Q 10
♣ A K Q 4

WEST
♠ 4 9
♥ 7 6 5 2
♦ 8 7 6 4
♣ 10 6 3

EAST
♠ K Q 10
♥ A 10 3
♦ A 9 5
♣ J 9 8 7

SOUTH
♠ J 9 6 5 3
♥ 9 8 4
♦ J 3 2
♣ 5 2

The bidding:

East	South	West	North
1 NT	Pass	Pass	Double
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Double	Pass	Pass	Rdble
Pass	Pass	Pass	

North's bidding was atrocious. His initial double was correct, but instead of raising spades, it would have been much sounder to bid three no trump.

A trump opening, as it happened, would have dashed declarer's chances, but that lead was not at all attractive from West's point of view, and his fourth-best heart lead cannot be criticized. East won and returned a heart. Declarer was practically sure that East, in addition to the red aces, had the guarded king and queen of trumps, hence the only chance to hold him to three tricks was to shut out one of his trump honors. This was no mean feat—but South accomplished it. After East's heart return, the diamond king was led. East won and led another heart. Declarer now cashed two club tricks and deliberately ruffed a club, then re-entered dummy with a diamond, led the last club and ruffed with the six. When West was unable to over-ruff, discarding a diamond, South knew he was on the right track. He went back to dummy with a diamond and led a low trump. East was "fixed." Obviously, it would do him no good to play the 10—declarer would merely cover, and the trump ace would smother one of his high honors, so East went up with the queen. This, however, was no more effective. He now had to return a trump from the king-10 to the combined tenace in the North-South hands, and the doubled contract was home.

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T-Bone Steak	or Roast Beef ... lb.	49c
Blade Roast	... lb.	25c
Plate	... lb.	14c

Sausage Breakfast, Commercial, S.C. lb. - - 19c

Salmon Smoked White Spring lb. - - 30c

Cod Fillets Smoked Ling lb. - - 35c

How to cook the less tender cuts of meat

Braising, including pot-roasting and "swissing", is a favored way for cooking the less tender cuts of meat. Long, slow cooking with moist heat, either on top of the stove or in the oven, in a tightly covered pan or kettle is necessary to make the meat tender.

GOOD CUTS TO POT-ROAST

Though you most often think of beef in the role of pot roast, we like to cook lamb, veal and pork by this method, too.

BEEF Heel or eye of round, cross-rib round-bone, seven-bone rump, chuck neck, shoulder arm, or clod. Buy no less than 3 pounds, preferably 4 or 5.

VEAL Shoulder, boned or not as you like, leg rump or blade.

PORK Shoulder, Boston butt or picnic.

LAMB Shoulder, breast or cushion.

THE SECRETS OF SUCCESSFUL POT ROASTING

The trick in pot roasting is to brown the meat first on both sides rather slowly, in a little melted suet or shortening if the meat hasn't much fat. Then season with salt and pepper and add a bit of carrot, onion, parsley or celery for flavor and then add about a cup of liquid—water, soup stock, vegetable juices, milk, sweet or sour cream or diluted vinegar. Cover tightly and cook very slowly until the meat is so tender you can almost cut it with a fork. Add a little more liquid from time to time if the meat begins to cook dry. Allow 30 to 40 minutes per pound when cooked on top of the stove, or about 45 minutes per pound in a moderate oven (350°F.).

TRY BRAISING WITH VEGETABLES

We like to cook other less tender cuts and some that are tender by browning and then simmering slowly in a covered utensil with a small amount of liquid. Then we add vegetables such as potatoes, carrots, onions, string beans, etc., about a half hour before the meat is done. Here are some of the meats best to braise:

BEEF Top and bottom round, flank steak, short ribs, sirloin tip, liver.

LAMB Shoulder, either whole or cut in cubes, breast or neck.

PORK Though pork is usually considered one of the tender meats, we like to braise pork chops, steaks and cutlets, slices from the butt and liver.

The rich brown gravy goes perfectly with mashed or boiled potatoes.

VEAL Most cuts of veal are better braised than cooked by dry heat because veal has considerable connective tissue and the moisture is necessary to soften it. Practically all cuts are good braised—shoulder, either whole or in cubes, steaks, chops, ribs, etc.

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Bleach	Wonder, 26-oz. bottle	8c
Bon Ami	Powder, 12-oz. tin	13c
Matches	300 to package 3 for	25c
Meaties	Ballard's, 14-oz. pkg.	10c
Barley	Pearl, 3-lb. bag	11c
Tea	Canterbury, 1-lb. pkg.	64c
Cocoa	Fry's, 16-oz. pkg.	31c
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Barley	McKay's, cream, 20-oz. pkt.	23c
Flour	Kitchen Craft, 24-lb. sack	72c
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Burlington Steel	13½	14
Canadian Celanese		63
Can Pac Rly	23¾	23¾
Can Steamship Pfd	47½	47¾
Con Mining & Smelting	81½	83
Fanny Farmer	48	50½
Ford Canada "A"	31¾	34¾
Gatineau Pwr 5% Pfd	106	107
Imperial Oil	18	18½
Imperial Tobacco	13¾	16
Int Metal Indust 4½ Pfd	103	
Int Metal Indust "A"	30½	30¾
Int Nickel	40½	41½
Int Petroleum	24	24
Montreal L H & Power	20½	25
Noranda	63¾	66
Page Hersey Tubes	29	30½
Powell River Co	30½	31
Simpsons Ltd 4½% Pfd	102½	
Southam Co Ltd	18	19½
Steel of Canada	78¾	72
Hiram Walker G & W	120	127
Geo Weston 4½% Pfd	106	108½
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Royal Bank	20	20¾
Can Bank Commerce	19¾	56
Dominion Bank	24½	24½

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American Yellowknife	.24	37
Argonaut	18	20
Anniamaque	.10	12
Blondor	20	21
Brewis	40	44
Beausiv	.64	77
Cassidy	31	.34
Cockeram Red Lake	11	13
Courageous	40	45
Cuyuni	0.60	2.75
D'Aragon	63	67
Eureka	5.00	2.70
Electra	24	28
Goldeue	83	86
Goldbeam	1.88	2.00
Habitant	66	67
Heart Fault	37	39
Indske	46	50
Insco	70	73
Jerome	.83	1.00
Jack Lake	60	67
Kamlac	16	18
Kenbay	40	45
Kega	15	
Lavelle	23	25
Kingsora	22	24
Laddie	34	37
Lassie		55
Lingside	30	33
Merhenor	18	33
Murmer	25	28
New Augurite	22	29

Canadian Bonds

(T. H. Burns & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
1st Victory Loan 3%, 1951	108 35	109 20
2nd Victory Loan 3%, 1956	104 75	105 50
3rd Victory Loan 3%, 1956	103 50	104 25
4th Victory Loan 3%, 1957	102 12	103 25
5th Victory Loan 3%, 1959	102 12	102 87
6th Victory Loan 3%, 1960	101 87	102 62
7th Victory Loan 3%, 1962	101 75	102 50
8th Victory Loan 3%, 1963	101 50	102 25
9th Victory Loan 3%, 1966	101 37	102 12
Dom. of Canada 3%, Pfd	98 62	100 37
British Columbia 3½%, 1958	101 50	
Manitoba 4%, 1960	102 50	104 50
Saskatchewan 5%, 1962	107 50	
C N R 3%, 1953	102 00	
B C Power 4%, 1965	101 75	103 25
Calgary Power 3%, 1964	108 00	107 00
Canada Cement 4½%, 1961	101 75	103 75
C P R 3%, 1951	103 50	105 50
Cons. Paper 5%, 1961	109 50	111 50
Massey-Harris 4%, 1954	101 00	
Winnipeg Elec. "A" 5%, 1965	100 00	106 00

Foreign Exchange

NEW YORK, Jan 8 (CP)—The Canadian dollar was unchanged at a discount of 9 3-16 per cent in terms of United States funds in closing foreign exchange dealings today. (Ottawa Foreign Exchange Board rates 9.09 to 9.51 per cent discount.) The pound sterling was unchanged at $4.03 1-2.

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Ella Raines, Who Is Co-Starred With George Sanders and Geraldine Fitzgerald in Universal's Absorbing Murder Drama, "Uncle Harry," Now Showing at the Oak Bay and Plaza Theatres.

At the Theatres

ATLAS THEATRE Over at Paramount where they made "Murder, He Says," a farce-mystery with Fred MacMurray, which ends tonight at the Atlas Theatre, studio workers were stymied trying to find torn and battered furniture. There just didn't seem to be any around. "Murder, He Says" has an outstanding cast which includes Marjorie Main, Porter Hall, Mable Paige, Jean Heather, Peter Whitney and Helen Walker.

CADET THEATRE Warner Bros.' newest excursion into the field of romance and intrigue, "The Conspirators," ends tonight at the Cadet Theatre, starring Hedy Lamarr and Paul Henreid. They are surrounded by a competent supporting cast which includes Joseph Calleia, Carol Thurston, Edward Ciannelli, Kurt Katch and Monte Blue.

CAPITOL THEATRE Columbia Pictures' "A Thousand and One Nights," which currently features Cornel Wilde, Evelyn Keyes, Phil Silvers and Adele Jergens at the Capitol Theatre, is as lavish a Technicolor extravaganza about old Bagdad as the screen has seen in many a day. Lush with magnificent costumes, colorful settings and beautiful girls, the fantasy necessarily took much careful research and preparation in every detail.

DOMINION THEATRE When you go to the Dominion Theatre, as you undoubtedly will after you hear that it is currently housing Warner Baxter starring again as the famous Dr. Ordway in the fifth of Columbia Pictures' "Crime Doctor" series, "The Crime Doctor's Warning," you'll see the strangest corpse, the strangest killer and the strangest case of the great psychiatrist's career.

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Dominion—Warner Baxter in "The Crime Doctor's Warning."

Oak Bay and Plaza—George Sanders and Ella Raines in "Uncle Harry."

Rio—"Girl No. 217," a Soviet film of Germany.

York—Bette Davis in "The Corn Is Green."

OAK BAY AND PLAZA THEATRES Three distinguished screen stars are winning new laurels in Universal's "Uncle Harry," extraordinary crime drama, now at the Oak Bay and Plaza Theatres. They are George Sanders, Geraldine Fitzgerald and Ella Raines. The new picture is a vivid version of the celebrated Broadway stage play. Robert Siodmak directed.

RIO THEATRE "Girl No. 217," first Soviet wartime film of life in Germany, now showing at the Rio Theatre, shattered all records for Soviet films in New York at its American premiere there. In the first nine days of its run, "Girl No. 217" was seen by more than 36,000 patrons, a new high in attendance for the 625-seat house where it was shown.

YORK THEATRE Judging from the dent he has made in recent popularity polls, newcomer John Dall can look forward to a successful career in Hollywood. The young actor is currently to be seen in Warners' Bette Davis starring film, "The Corn Is Green," which ends tonight at the York Theatre.

British Stocks

LONDON, Jan. 8 (—) British stock closings: Austin Motor "A" 35s 9d; Babcock & Wilcox, 58s 9d; Boots Pure Drug 56s 4 1-2d; Central Mining, £25; Consolidated Gold Fields 9¾s; Courtaulds, 57; Crown Mines 170s; De Beers £18 1-4; East Geduld £11 11-16; Hudson Bay Co., 91 6d; London-Midland Railway £27 1-4; Metal Box 9¾s; Mexican Eagle 12s 6d; Mining Trust, Ltd., 8s 6d; Rand Mines 160s; Spring Mines 17s 3d.

Bonds: British 2 1-2 per cent Consols £92 3-4; British 3 1-2 per cent War Loan £103 15-16; British Funding 4s, 1960-90, £113 11-16.

Montreal Stocks

MONTREAL, Jan. 8 (CP)—Rising trends were dominant in changes up to the final hour today on the Stock Exchange and Curb Market, and industrials and papers moved up to new highs in the indices.

Among the stronger spots in industrials were Steelco, Cement issues, Asbestos, Marconi, Vickers, Eastern Steel, Gypsum, R. Mitchell, United Steel, Dosco "B," Canadian Car and Massey common. Bruck, Celanese and Penmans firmed in textiles.

(James Richardson & Sons)

	Bid	Asked
Canadian Investment Fund	4.76	5.24
Canadian Bank of Commerce		20
Dominion Bank		56
Bank of Montreal	[illegible]	
Bank of Nova Scotia	21	34
Royal Bank		30
Abitibi Com	9¾	4½
Abitibi Pfd	99	100
Algoma Steel	22	71
Aluminum Pfd	135	180
Asbestos Corp	12	32½
Bathurst "A"	21	21½
Bell Telephone		182
Brazilian Traction	66	36¾
B A Oil	27½	27
B C Packers	38	40
B C Power "A"	38	56
Bruck Silk Mills	23	21¾
Building Products	33¾	94
Bulolo Gold	26	28
Canada & Dominion Sugar	25¾	20
Canada Cement	15½	
Canada Malting	97	57¾
Canada Northern Power	10½	14
Canada Steamships Com	14½	15
Canada Steamships Pfd	46	
Canadian Breweries	89	94
Canadian Bronze Com.	65	
Canadian Car & Fdy Com	16	16½
Canadian C & F New Pfd	24¾	31
Canadian Celanese		60
Canadian Dredge & Dock	24	25
Canadian Industrial Alcohol	16	20
Canadian Industries "B"	150½	175
Canadian Locomotive		77
Canadian Pacific Railway	23¾	23¾

Canadian Vickers, Com	16¾	17¾	Fraser Co. Voting	54½	55	National Breweries	45	
Canadian Vickers, Pfd.	90	90	Gatineau Power	18	19½	National Steel Car	35	35¾
Cockshutt Plow	17¾	18	General Steel Wares	16¾	18¾	Ogilvie Flour	70¾	71
Commercial Alcohol	6	6½	Gypsum, Lime & Alabastine	16¾	18½	Page-Hersey		30
Cons. Paper	18½	18¾	Hamilton Bridge	10	10½	Powell River	30½	30¾
Consumers Glass	41½	43	Howard Smith	32	33¾	Power Corp	17¾	17¾
Crown Cork & Seal		55	Imperial Oil	18½	18¾	Price Bros		50¾
Distillers Seagrams	103	103¾	Imperial Tobacco	13¾	14	Purity Flour Pfd.	52	54
Dominion Bridge	42	43¼	International Bronze Powder	16½	19	Quebec Power	18½	18¾
Dominion Engineering	44½	46	International Nickel	41½	42	St Lawrence Corp Pfd	35½	36½
Dominion Woolens	17¾	11	International Paper	53	53½	St. Lawrence Paper Pfd.	81	83
Dominion Steel & Coal "B"	14½	14¾	International Petroleum	24¾	24½	Sicks Breweries	38	38½
Dominion Stores		22	International Power	55½	56	Simon H. & Son	65	
Dominion Tar & Chemical	20½	30	International Utilities "A"		43½	South Canada Power	14½	15
Dominion Textile	81	82	Lake of the Woods	30½	31	Steel of Canada	80	
Donnacona Paper	17½	17¾	Magic Lant. Com	10	15½	Tooke Bros. New	11	35
Dryden Paper	14		Massey-Harris, Com		10	United Steel	8½	8¾
Fairchild Aircraft	4¾	6	Massey-Harris, Pfd	30	30½	Walker Gooderham, Com.	116	120
Fleet Aircraft	5½	6	McColl-Frontenac, Com	17½	17¾	Walker, Gooderham, Pfd	22	22¾
Ford of Canada "A"	31¾	31¾	Minn. & Ont. Paper	16	16½	Winnipeg Electric, Com	17	17¾
Foundation Co.	29¾	30	Mitchell, Robert	29½	30½	Winnipeg Electric, Pfd		98

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